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Pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter, the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City, met at the Aldermanic Chamber, in the City Hall, on Tuesday, May 2, 1871, the first Tuesday after the first Monday in May, at half-past seven o'clock in the evening.

The Board was called to order by the City Clerk.

The roll was called and the the following named Aldermen answered to their names and took their seats:

First Aldermanic District—Robert Bumsted, Geo. H. Farrier.

Second Aldermanic District—David C. Joyce, Dennis Reardon.

Third Aldermanic District—Jas. M. Savage, Chas. Stier.

Fourth Aldermanic District—John S. Edwards, Arend Steenken.

Fifth Aldermanic District—David L. Holden, Jasper Wandle.

Sixth Aldermanic District—Henry V. Mandeville, Simeon H. Smith.

On motion of Alderman Farrier, Alderman Smith was appointed President pro tempore.

The Board then proceeded to the election of a President for the ensuing year.

Alderman Farrier was nominated by Alderman Bumsted.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Joyce and Steenken acting as tellers.

George H. Farrier received twelve (12) votes.

Whereupon George H. Farrier having received all of the votes cast, was declared elected President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen Reardon and Savage were appointed a committee to conduct the President to the chair.

The committee performed their duty.

The President addressed the Board as follows:

Gentlemen of the Board of Aldermen: Thanks are better proven by deeds than by words; that I fully appreciate the honor conferred upon me, I shall endeavor to show in the performance of the duties which it involves. I do not hesitate at frankly acknowledging my inexperience, and lack of those qualities, and that knowledge required in the position to which you have called me, but feeling that I may safely rely upon you for the assistance I know I shall require, and as a willingness and readiness to learn, in no small degree compensates for want of skill, I shall enter upon my duties with but little embarrassment. In this place we are new men, and from us much is expected, With powers and functions of less scope than those exercised by previous councils, we have little to learn from them, except to avoid their errors. We must not lose sight of the responsibility resting upon us, and that it is our duty to subserve the true interests of the city to the best of our understanding and ability. Let us strive to add dignity to our office, and raise it from the bad repute which it has obtained, to one of respectability and honor, conscientious in the performance of our duties, governed first by the welfare of the city, and after that of the party which placed us here; and which will be honored or defamed by our actions, being influenced neither by the importunities of friends nor the threats of enemies, but standing "firm to the right, as God gives us to see the right," remembering that there is a political day of judgment, let us endeavor faithfully to discharge our duties, so that at the end of our term of service in this capacity we shall have merited from the people of Jersey City this commendation, "Well done, thou good and faithful servants."

On motion of Alderman Smith, the board proceeded to the appointment of city clerk.

John E. Scott was nominated by Alderman Stier.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

The same tellers acted.

John E. Scott received twelve votes.

Whereupon John E. Scott having received all of the votes cast was declared appointed city clerk.

Alderman Reardon moved, that a committee of two be appointed to wait upon his Honor the Mayor, and inform him of the organization of the board, and of its readiness to receive any communication he may desire to make.

The motion was adopted, and Aldermen Holden and Reardon were appointed.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, the Board took a recess of fifteen minutes to enable the committee appointed to wait upon the Mayor, to perform their duty and report.

On the reassembling of the Board, the committee appointed to wait upon his Honor the Mayor verbally reported, through Alderman Holden, its chairman, that they had done so, and the Mayor desired them to present to the Board his congratulations on their speedy organization, and presented the annual message of the Mayor.

The message was received, read, and, on motion of Alderman Reardon, it was

Resolved, That the annual message of his Honor the Mayor be published in the Daily Times, the Evening Journal, American Standard and Hudson County Volksblatt.

The following resolution relative to the message was presented by Alderman Holden:

Resolved, That the annual message of his Honor the Mayor be published with the minutes in the official papers of the city, and that —— copies be printed in pamphlet form in connection with official reports of the Fire and Police Commissioners under the direction of the committee on printing.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the blank was filled by inserting the words "fifteen hundred."

The resolution as amended was adopted.

Said message being as follows:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, May 2, 1871.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City.

Gentlemen: One year ago to-day, by the suffrages of a large majority of my fellow-citizens, I assumed the duties of chief magistrate of the consolidated city of Jersey City for the term of two years.

I have endeavored to perform the duties pertaining to the executive department of the city, during the past year, to the best of my understanding, wisdom and judgment, with a sincere purpose to further the best interests of the city. How far I have succeeded in accomplishing this purpose, I leave to the opinion of my fellow citizens.

At the time I entered upon my official duties, it was my intention to serve until the end of the term for which I was elected; but as by a majority of the people of Hudson County, at the ballot box last fall, the members elected to the House of Assembly to represent the citizens of Jersey City represented also the principles of the Republican party, and being myself a Democrat of the old school, I considered my chances good for a one-year term. As it was generally understood that it would be a policy of "to the victors belong the spoils," and that Democrats in office, particularly heads of departments, would receive a leave of absence for a short time, I concluded that I should speedily have an opportunity to be relieved from the duties and responsibilities appertaining to the office of Mayor.

In the wisdom and judgment of the Legislature assembled at Trenton, it was considered necessary that a change of government should be made in Jersey City, and a new Charter was drafted as a substitute for the Charter approved March 17, 1870. By the provisions of the new Charter, the powers given in the Charter of 1870, are delegated to a Board of Public Works, a Board of Police Commissioners, a Board of Fire Commissioners, and a Board of Finance and Taxation, the Legislature reserving the authority to name and appoint the members of the different Commissions, as well as their successors, and also delegating to the Governor the power to fill vacancies when the Legislature is not in session.

By the provision of the twenty-second Section of the new Charter, the people have the right to elect a Board of Aldermen which shall consist of two members from each Aldermanic District; but by the different sections from the twenty-second to the twenty-fifth inclusive, it will be observed that the powers of the Board of Aldermen are limited, and of but little importance to the people.

It is not my purpose to discuss the different provisions of the charter, I would only venture to say, that there has never been in the history of the State of New Jersey a charter for a city government so thoroughly discussed by the parties interested in the passage thereof, as the charter for Jersey City, passed March 31, 1871.

And I would also presume to say, that the people of this city, know less of the provisions of this charter, than of any charter ever before enacted for the local government of the city.

My opinion is that some of the most important provisions of the charter are wrong and will be productive of wrong.

The provisions of the charter, passed March 17, 1870, were well calculated to guard the interests of our people, and the charter was admirably furnished with checks against hasty legislation.

It was necessary that every measure should be considered first by the Board of Aldermen, where every citizen had the right of petition for, or of remonstrance against any such measure; and after having been passed upon by that body, it was presented to the Mayor, where the people again had the same privilege of petition or remonstrance. After a decision of the Mayor, disapproving of any measure, the people again had the right, through their representatives in the Board of Aldermen, of passing any measure over the veto of the Mayor by a two-third vote.

The people of every city undoubtedly should have the privilege of the choice of their own rulers, and the Constitution of the United States and of the State of New Jersey distinctly say that all power shall emanate from the people. If the citizens of this (or any other) city should be unfortunate in their election of officers and the persons so elected should, by their public acts, prove themselves unworthy of the confidence of their fellow-citizens, the people should have the right to remove those persons, and elect by ballot others more worthy of their confidence.

The people of Jersey City, by the provisions of the new charter, are denied the right of self-government, which is contrary to the principles of a republican form of government, and this is my principal objection to the charter.

Many of our best citizens, representing both political parties, endeavored to prevent the passage of the charter, but their efforts were unsuccessful, the arguments of the friends of the charter had the desired effect and the bill was passed and became a law, notwithstanding the able and unanswerable veto message of the Governor.

All opposition to the charter, from that moment, was improper, and should now cease.

It is now a law, and it becomes the duty of all good citizens to assist, so far as is in their power, every department of the City Government in the execution of the duties pertaining thereto.

If by practical experience it is found that the new system of government is not desirable, or to the interest of the people of Jersey City, let the citizens turn out and come to the rescue, and take all lawful and constitutional measures to repeal the law, and request the Legislature at its next session to grant to the people of Jersey City a better form of government; but until that is done, it is our duty as law-abiding citizens to support the city authorities under the new charter.

So far as the executive department of the city is concerned, it is not only my duty, but I shall esteem it a pleasure, to give my personal assistance, so far as I am able, to any member of any of the departments of the City Government.

By the provisions of the new charter the present Mayor of Jersey City is continued in office for one year from the first day of May, 1871, the term for which he was elected by the people, and as the amended charter now reads the office of mayor is made a position of considerable importance. The mayor has a veto power over the acts of the Board of Aldermen, under the same provisions as in the old charter, and also a veto power over the acts of the Board of Public Works. He is also a member of the Boards of Finance and Taxation, Police and Fire Commissioners, and Board of Education, with a vote in each board, and by recent enactment is vested with the very important power of nominating the members of the Board of Education.

The Legislature, by this act, has conferred a personal and distinguished honor on me, and I should be ungrateful not to acknowledge the honor conferred.

Therefore, I take this opportunity to publicly thank the members of the Legislature, and other kind friends in Jersey City who aided and assisted in accomplishing this purpose, for the confidence they have seen fit to place in me in the management of my official duties, and can only say in return that I hope and trust that none of those gentlemen will ever have cause to regret, from any act of mine, the trust they have confided in me.

I accept the situation and assume the responsibility, and under the providence of God will endeavor to perform the trust confided in me faithfully, fearlessly and honestly.

I shall rely upon an all wise Providence to enlighten and guide me in my undertakings, so that whatever I may do, or advise to be done, may be in accordance with His divine will, for the best interests of my constituents and for the general welfare of the community.

With the assurance that I shall receive the kind assistance of your honorable body as well as that of the different boards of Commissioners in the city in the discharge of my duties, I

enter upon those labors which appertain to the executive department of the city government.

The twenty-first section of the city charter authorizes the Mayor to recommend to any board of the city government such measures as he may deem necessary or expedient for the welfare of the city.

It is not my intention to occupy your time or attention to any great extent at the present time. My views are well known to many members of your Honorable Body, and also to the members of the different boards of commissioners in the city.

The citizens of Jersey City have been assured by the friends of the new charter, that a reform was necessary, and that a spirit of economy should be introduced into and carried out in every department of the municipal government of the city.

I am glad to receive this assurance, and sincerely hope and trust that at the end of the municipal year, the people of Jersey City may be able to realize by their tax bills the fact of this assurance.

We commence, as it were, a new field of labor and enterprise, the inauguration of a system of municipal government composed of Commissioners to manage the different departments of the city, and it is essential that every department of the city should be governed by the laws recently passed for the local government of this city.

I would therefore earnestly request each and every member of the many departments of the city, to read carefully every section of the new charter, and more particularly such sections as relate directly to the department of which such member may have immediate control.

If the members of the Board of Aldermen, and also the members of the different commissions, inform themselves well on the provisions of the many sections of the new charter, I am satisfied that a great deal of expense will be saved to the city, and much hasty legislation prevented.

Had the members generally of the late Board of Aldermen so informed themselves on the different provisions of the old charter, there is no question in my mind that a great many of the ordinances and resolutions that were offered and passed by that Board never would have been introduced.

To the members of the different boards of the City Government I would most respectfully say that coming as many of you do, immediately from among your constituents, you are each, no doubt, fully prepared faithfully to represent their wishes and views upon all questions which you will be required to consider and act upon collectively.

In your deliberations, representing, as you do, local views, much diversity of opinion will necessarily be found to exist upon all important measures; but I anticipate that forbearance, self-respect, harmony and wisdom in your proceedings, which should exist in all intelligent bodies, and which will produce a conservative, prudent and judicious policy.

It will be my pleasure to cordially co-operate with you in such measures as the interests of our fellow citizens may demand.

I shall refer briefly to some of the most important branches of the city government, leaving to the heads of such departments respectively the duties of a detailed statement.

THE CITY FINANCES.

I have strictly adhered to the rule laid down, as stated in a communication to the Board of Aldermen on the second day of May, 1870, that I would withhold my signature from all warrants where committees had exceeded their appropriations. I shall continue to observe this rule for the coming year.

It is almost unnecessary for me to refer to the financial condition of the city at the present time, and to give a history of the management, (or mismanagement as the case may be) of the city finances during the past year, would no doubt be considered superfluous.

This subject has been thoroughly discussed both by the citizens and press of Jersey City.

By the provisions of the new Charter, the management of the financial department of the city, is delegated to a Board of Finance and Taxation.

This provision in my opinion is the best provision of the Charter.

The Commissioners composing this Board organized on Thursday the sixth day of April last, and are now fairly and effectively at work.

For particular information concerning the management of the city finances, from the date of the organization of the new Board up to the present time, I refer to the official proceedings of the Board of Finance and Taxation.

It is sufficient to relate that owing to the wisdom and firmness of a majority of the members of the Board the bonds of Jersey City have been sold at par, which is an increase of four and one quarter per cent. over and above the amount realized by the city from the last sale of three hundred thousand dollars of five year bonds.

I sincerely hope and trust that the Board of Finance and Taxation will continue in the course which they have adopted for the sale of city bonds.

Their efforts have been crowned with success. It is gratifying to show that the Board has succeeded in negotiating the bonds direct, and have thus avoided the employment of a broker or banker in the sale of bonds.

Heretofore it has been the practice to employ an agent to dispose of the city bonds and pay a commission of at least one per cent. for negotiating the sale.

I am of the opinion that it is not to the interest of the city to employ an agent to sell the bonds of any department of the city. Bankers and others having money to invest, should have the privilege of purchasing the bonds of the city *direct*, and whatever advantage there is in the sale, the tax-payers in the city will receive the benefit of, as the Board of Finance and Taxation can act as the agent of the city

Judging from the experience of the first sales under the new Board, I am satisfied it is to the interest of the city to sell *all bonds* direct.

The officers of at least one of the Banks in the city have devoted considerable attention towards the organization of some of the boards of the city government.

The regular business of the Board of Finance and Taxation has been interrupted by the interference of such officers.

I am of the opinion that the members of the different boards of the city government are *quite* competent to organize and transact their own business.

All persons who have business to transact with any board of the city (when such board is in session) have an opportunity to do so by written communication.

It would be more creditable to the officers of the bank, and other persons to whom this may apply, if they would give more attention to their legitimate business and leave the management of the different branches of the city government to those who have been appointed to perform such duties.

FINANCIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

The different branches of the city government depend to a great extent upon the committees to investigate and mature the business appertaining to their respective departments.

Heretofore it has been the practice of many committees of the Board of Aldermen to contract obligations beyond the amount appropriated for the support of such department.

I am informed by an alderman that there is a deficiency in one department of the city (of which said alderman was a member last year) of at least *thirty-six thousand dollars*.

If committees are permitted to contract bills without limit, there is no necessity whatever of a tax ordinance fixing any particular amount for the support of any department.

This system of financial management is wrong, and should be corrected.

The city charter should be amended so as to prohibit any committee, or member thereof, from contracting debts against their respective departments

in any one year to an amount greater than that authorized by ordinance for that year. If any committee or member thereof should so contract to a greater extent than the amount specified for the support of such department for any municipal year, such committee or member thereof should be personally liable.

Every department of the city government should make a careful estimate of the amount required for the support of such department for each municipal year.

When the specified amount is agreed upon, it should be understood that no obligations further than the amount appropriated should be incurred against such department for that municipal year.

EDUCATION.

My views on education and of the management of the Public Schools of the city are well known, and I deem it unnecessary to repeat them at this time.

For particular information on the management of public schools, and the condition of the different school buildings throughout the city, I beg leave to refer to the Annual Report of the Board of Education.

The members of the present Board of Education are deserving of the thanks of the citizens of Jersey City for the *judicious* and *economical* management of the Public Schools during the past year.

Heretofore it has been the custom of the Board of Education to make an estimate of the funds required for all purposes, under the control of the board. The Board of Aldermen have always (last year excepted) approved of and confirmed the action of that body. Last year the estimate of the Board of Education amounted to one hundred and sixty-eight thousand one hundred and fifty dollars. In the wisdom and judgment of the Board of Aldermen, this amount was reduced to one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, a reduction from the amount asked for of eighteen thousand one hundred and fifty dollars. Even with this large reduction, the Board of Education has by strict economy, succeeded in carrying on the schools up to the middle of April, and it is possible that there may be funds in the treasury to the credit of this department sufficient for the balance of the municipal year

PUBLIC GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS.

To the Board of Public Works is delegated the power and control of all public grounds and buildings in the city.

I earnestly recommend to the consideration of that body, the necessity of a new iron fence (similar to the fence around Van Vorst Square) around Hamil on Square.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The management of and control of the fire department of the city, is by the provisions of the new charter delegated to a Board of Fire Commissioners and hereafter the volunteer system will be abandoned, and what is called a paid department will be organized.

The gentlemen who have been appointed Fire Commissioners are well known as practical business men.

They have the confidence and esteem of their fellow citizens. Each member of the Board having served many years as an active member of the late Volunteer Fire Department, is prepared to introduce such views as will fully represent the wishes of the people.

It is a gratification to me, and no doubt to every citizen of this city, to notice the friendly feeling existing between the members of the different companies of the volunteer department.

Many (if not all) of the companies have resolved to do volunteer duty, until such time as the Fire Commissioners can arrange and perfect the working of the new department.

This is magnanimous on the part of the members of the volunteer fire department, and in behalf of the people of Jersey City, I take this opportunity to publicly thank the Chief and Assistant Engineers, together with all the members of the volunteer department for their good will and generous assistance.

The Fire Commissioners will no doubt experience considerable difficulty in arranging the new organization, and I trust that the officers and members of the old department will lend their assistance so far as possible to the Commissioners of the new department in their arduous duties.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

By the provisions of the new charter the management of the police department has been transferred to new commissioners.

On Monday evening April 3d, the members of the old Board met and extended a cordial invitation to the members of the new Board to attend their meeting, which invitation was accepted, and in the presence of both Boards and a large number of citizens the control of the police department was officially transferred to the new board of police commissioners.

The friendly feeling and magnanimous spirit which prompted the old board of commissioners in transferring their authority to their successors is commendable.

The President and members of the old board (not forgetting the good natured and amiable Chief of Police) are deserving of the thanks of the people of Jersey City for their promptness in thus inaugurating a spirit of kindness and friendly feeling in the police department of the city. In connection with this matter it is worthy of consideration that the board of Aldermen last year reduced the amount of the estimate required for the support of the Police department about fourteen thousand dollars.

The municipal year is now ended, and I am happy to state that every obligation of the Police Department up to the present time has been paid from the funds appropriated by the Board of Aldermen, notwithstanding the reduction of about fourteen thousand dollars from the original estimate.

This fact in itself proves that the department has been *fait fully* and *honestly* managed during the past year, which is very commendable.

The Commissioners and officers of the old department deserve the thanks of the people of Jersey City for the economical and judicious management of the Police Department last year.

The Commissioners of the new department are good business men and are no doubt qualified to perform the duties appertaining to the management of the Police Department.

The Police Department, above all other departments of a city, should be removed entirely from the influence or political parties

None but sober, honest, intelligent and active men should be appointed members of the department.

Neither should a *patro man* be dismissed from the force *simply* because he is a Democrat or a Republican.

A *good officer* should be *retained* as a member of the Police Department so long as he faithfully serves or performs his duty. A member who does not perform his duty, should be dismissed, regardless of his party preferences or of his political influence.

It would afford me much pleasure to record the fact that liberal principles have actuated the members of the new Board of Police Commissioners so far as they have gone in their present organization. But I regret to say that the reverse is the case.

The Board is composed of five Commissioners (who are members of the Republican party) together with the Mayor who is a Democrat. At a meeting of the Board, held on Thursday evening, April 20, competent officers who have faithfully served as members of the Police Department for many years, were dismissed from the force, and others appointed to fill the positions, who (I am informed) are entirely incompetent to perform their official duties.

The faithful and competent officers were dismissed in a summary manner, without even being requested to remain as members of the force and serve as patrolmen.

The excuse offered by the five commissioners (as the Republican members voted unanimously) was that the faithful officers were Democrats and should be dismissed.

At a meeting of the Board held on Monday afternoon April 24, a number of sergeants and patrolmen were dismissed from the force, simply because they were Democrats.

This is the first instance so far as I remember in which *competent patrolmen* have been summarily dis-

missed from the Jersey City Police Department in consequence of their political opinions. Some of the members of the Board of Police Commissioners have publicly stated that they would not vote to retain a Democrat on the force upon any condition whatever. I regret very much that any Police Commissioner should entertain such illiberal views.

The present Police Department of the city of New York, (I am informed upon good authority) is the best regulated Police department in every *particular* that can be found in any city either in America or Europe.

The Police department of the city of New York has been made what it is, simply because it is organized as a non partizan department.

In my opinion to organize the police department on a partizan basis is unwise, injudicious and detrimental to the best interests of the people of any city.

By the provisions of the charter the Mayor is a member of the Board of Police Commissioners with the same power and authority that other members have. The Fire Commissioners appear to be unanimous in their views on almost every measure or question, which comes before that body.

By such action on the part of the Commissioners, the Mayor can be of little service to his constituents, by attending the meetings of the Board.

So far as I am concerned personally, it is of little consequence whether I serve as a member of the Board of Police Commissioners or not. I am under no obligations to those gentlemen, neither shall I ask any favors at their hands. Whatever privileges I am entitled to as a member of the Board, I shall demand as *a right*.

If I am denied by those gentlemen justice and equal privileges with themselves in the appointment of the members of the force, I can do nothing more, but respectfully retire from their meetings, and devote my time and attention to some other branch of the city government, where the people of Jersey City through their executive, will receive more respect and consideration than a majority of the Police Commissioners are willing to concede in their department.

The City Charter says: That the Mayor may recommend to any department of the city, such measures as in his judgment he may deem necessary for the interests of the city.

I would therefore, before closing this subject, most respectfully recommend to the Board of Police Commissioners the necessity of careful consideration and due reflection upon their course, before inaugurating in Jersey City for the first time (to my knowledge), a partizan Police Department.

LICENSE.

It is desirable and essentially necessary that the Board of Aldermen should, as an act of justice to those who now pay for a license, and also as a protection to the tax payers, insist on the collection of a license fee from the occupant, or occupants, of every place in the city liable under existing ordinances to pay a license.

For the year ending December 31, 1869, the revenue officers of the United States Government collected a license fee from the occupants of seven hundred and thirty-four places where liquor and ale are sold in the three cities now consolidated I have no figures for 1870 but would not hesitate to say that the number of places where liquor and ale are sold has increased considerably during the past year.

I find by the records in the office of city clerk, that a license fee has been collected from five hundred and eighty-two persons for the sale of liquor and ale during the past year.

There are perhaps two hundred additional places where liquor and ale are sold without a license. This is an injustice to those who pay a license.

I earnestly urge upon the Board of Aldermen the necessity of the enforcement of this ordinance.

STREET LAMPS.

It is with a feeling of great reluctance that I am obliged to refer to the management of the department for the past year, but there is a circumstance connected with this matter which a duty to myself and justice to all parties concerned, make it obligatory on my part to explain.

During my connection with the different branches of the city government, I have, as a rule, approved of the erection of every street lamp applied for, as I considered that a well lighted city was a safeguard to both person and property, and during the past year I have approved of every resolution offered for the purchase of lamps and lamp posts.

During the month of February last I noticed that a great number of lamp posts were being distributed throughout the city, and I had no recollection of any resolution ordering so large a number of lamp posts, or any resolution whatever ordering a contract for the setting of lamp posts.

From that moment I have refused to sign any warrant connected with the department of lamps. I have been expecting a report from the Board of Aldermen giving a statement of the facts in relation to the purchase and setting of lamp posts, for the municipal year ending May 1, 1871. Up to the present time I regret to say that no such report has reached me.

Therefore, I am unable to give a detailed statement of the purchases of such, or other particulars, as may be connected with the management of this department during the past year, and can only report such facts as have come to my knowledge from other sources. There are at the present time many warrants awaiting my signature for the payment of bills, which bills have been reported correct and the same have been ordered paid by the Board of Aldermen, and charged to the department of lamps. Some of these claims are probably correct, and if so should be paid. As the management of this department is now delegated to the Board of Public Works, and in order that justice may be done to all parties concerned, it is due that an explanation should be given and a valid reason assigned why I still withhold my official signature from those warrants, I find by the records in the office of the City Clerk, that the consolidated city received from old Hudson City at the date of consolidation, one hundred and fifty lamp posts, and there have been ordered by resolution of the Board of Aldermen since that time and up to May 1, 1871, one hundred and thirty-five.

Total number of lamp-posts ordered by the authority of the Mayor and Aldermen, two hundred and eighty-five.

Total number of lanterns ordered by resolution during the same period; three hundred and eighty-five.

I find that the Board of Aldermen have ordered paid, and warrants have been drawn (but not all signed) for claims to the department of lamps for the following items:

Lamp-posts	1,215
Lanterns	931
Baskets	560

The cost of these three items alone is twenty-four thousand four hundred and twenty dollars.

The cost of each street lamp when completed is as follows:

Lamp-post	$15 00
Lamps	5 00
Frame	2 75
Painting and glazing	3 00
Setting	6 00
Total	$31 75

As to the value of the different items specified, I have no information whatever, neither having any knowledge as to the quality of the iron, or the weight thereof contained in each lamp post.

I have observed that many of the posts are very carelessly finished, and not what an expert would consider a perfect fit to say the least.

The committee on lamps authorized a party to set two hundred and fifty lamp posts, for which labor the city was to pay the sum of six dollars per post. I had no information whatever of the contract, and signed two warrants (one for six hundred and the other for three hundred dollars) on account of this contract. Before the third warrant for six hundred dollars reached me, I learned the particulars of this contract, and from the information received, I made an estimate of the actual cost for setting each post, which at fifty cents each would pay an ordinary aboring man ten dollars per day.

One of the men employed by the contractor in setting these posts informed me that he and another, had set eleven lamp posts in three hours, and this labor was performed in the month of February, when

the ground was frozen. This same person also assured me that he would be glad to take a contract to set lamp posts at fifty cents each. Under the circumstances I concluded to sign no more warrants ordered paid by the Board of Aldermen, and the same to be charged to the department of lamps.

Another reason induced me to adhere to this decision; I discovered that the parties who had the contracts to supply the city with lamp posts, lamps and lanterns, were almost daily receiving orders from some member of the committee for a certain number of articles mentioned, and these parties called upon me and solicited my opinion as to the probability of their bills being paid, if they should furnish the articles as ordered. I assured those gentlemen that the warrants for the payment of bills ordered by that committee, and, without a resolution of the Board of Aldermen, would not be signed by me. I have heard nothing from the contractors since. The only regret I have in connection with this matter is, that I was not in possession of the facts of the case before I signed the two warrants mentioned. As to the third warrant, amounting to six hundred dollars, which is now awaiting my signature, all I can say is, that if signed at all, it must be done by my successor, as it shall never be signed by me. Had the committee on lamps properly investigated the matter of setting lamps before making a contract, I am of the opinion that this whole item of expense could have been saved to the city, as I am authorized to state that the Jersey City Gas Light Company make no charges for setting lamp posts.

It is not my desire to cast any reflection on the committee (or on any member thereof) having charge of the department of lamps during the past year. Neither do I accuse them of any wilful neglect in the discharge of their duties.

The chairman of the committee has stated to the Board of Aldermen that the committee had performed their duties as other committees had done, in old Hudson City and other cities in the county, and also that he was under the impression that the city charter delegated to the committee the power to make contracts.

I candidly believe that the chairman of the committee was sincere in making this statement. I only regret that he and his associates had not better informed themselves on the provisions of the charter and on the rules governing the Board of Aldermen.

It is almost unnecessary for me to state that there is no such authority given to any committee by any one of the provisions of the city charter.

By a reference to the rules adopted for the government of the Board of Aldermen, I find on page nineteen, rule thirty-eight, reads as follows:

No committee or member of any committee shall make any purchase in the name of the city where the amount shall exceed twenty dollars, without first having obtained permission therefor by resolution of the Board of Aldermen.

This rule should have been observed and adhered to by the committee before making any contract on behalf of the city.

I have endeavored to explain this matter as I understand it, that my reasons for witholding my signature from the warrants before mentioned may be clearly understood.

It may be possible that I am wrong in my conclusions, if so, I am willing to be corrected. Nothing but a sense of duty has made me willing to refer to this subject, and if the facts in the case would justify a more favorable report it would be a great gratification to me to record the same.

This whole subject will necessarily be referred to the Board of Public Works for their consideration, and I earnestly recommend that such action be taken in the matter as will result in equal justice to all parties concerned.

EXTENSION OF STREETS TO THE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

By recent enactments, the Legislature have delegated to the Board of Public Works the authority to extend streets to the Central Railroad.

It is essential that our citizens should have some means of access to the Central Railroad.

The matter has been before the Board of Aldermen for some time, but the old charter prohibited the extension of any street southward, and to order any street opened, with this objection, was illegal.

The objection is now removed, and I will cheerfully approve of a resolution to extend any street to the Central Railroad which our citizens may demand.

CITY HOSPITAL, DISPENSARY AND ALMSHOUSE.

The management of the City Hospital, Dispensary and Almshouse has been delegated to the Board of Police Commissioners.

The Commissioners will no doubt continue the management of this department under the existing ordinances of the Board of Aldermen.

The ordinances for the government of the Hospital and Dispensary, give the management of this department to a Committee of the Board of Aldermen, together with eight physicians.

The eight physicians constitute a Medical Board. A Committee from the Board of Police Commissioners could represent that portion of the ordinance which requires a Committee from the Board of Aldermen, and the eight physicians could retain the same power and authority as the ordinance now gives.

The gentlemen comprising the Medical Board have attended to the calls of the Hospital very faithfully during the past year.

I would earnestly recommend that the Board of Police Commissioners should assist those gentlemen by granting every reasonable request that they may make.

They have devoted a great deal of valuable time to the Hospital without any compensation, and purely out of Christian charity.

The people of Jersey City are under many obligations to those gentlemen for the sacrifice they have made to build up and maintain a suitable place in the city where the poor invalid can receive proper care and attention.

For further particulars relating to the management of the hospital and Dispensary, I beg leave to refer to a report of the Medical Board of the Hospital.

CONCLUSION.

We this day inaugarate a system of municipal government which is new, not only to the citizens of Jersey City, but to the people of the whole State.

To the gentlemen named as Commissioners for the different departments of the city, is delegated the authority of the Legislative branch of the City Government.

A great reponsibility rests upon each member of those departments.

I trust that each Board will take a faithful and intelligent care of the interests confided to their respective departments.

In all measures which may tend to aid our flourishing city in its onward and upward course to a glorious future, I pledge my hearty co-operation.

Let us enter into the spirit of our trust and assist each other in the arduous duties appertaining to the Executive and Legislative branches of our city government, and at the end of our labors, we may return to our constituents, with clear consciences and the satisfaction that we have faithfully, honestly, an impartially performed our duty.

CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

The following communication from His Honor the Mayor, was presented and received:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
Jersey City, May 2, 1871.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen:—In accordance with an Act of the Legislature approved April 6, 1871, I beg leave to submit for your consideration, the following named persons as members of the Board of Education:

For the First District.—A. H. Wallis, P. H. Nugent, James Warner.

For the Second District.—A. J. Dittmar, Patrick Ryan, George Beck.

For the Third District—A. A. Gaddis, Harold Henwood, George Warrin.

For the Fourth District—Thomas M. Norton, Emil Steger, William H. Wood.

For the Fifth District—James Soper, C. D. Mills, William H. Thomas.

For the Sixth District—I. I. Vanderbeek, Myles Tierney, Garret Vreeland.

I am gentlemen, very respectfully,
yours, &c., CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted the Communication was laid upon the table.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Smith:

Resolved, That the rules adopted May 4, 1869, by the Common Council of Jersey City, be adopted for the government of this Board as far as the same may be applicable to the present Board, and until its further order, and that a special committee of three be appointed by the President to draft new rules of order for the government of this Board of Aldermen.

The resolution was adopted, and Aldermen Smith, Bumsted, and Reardon were appointed the committee.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Bumsted and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for salaries, for April 1871:

Michael Donnelly, Overseer of the Poor, one hundred dollars ($100), Christian Kratz, Assistant Overseer of the Poor, forty-one dollars sixty seven cents ($41 67); Martin Ryan, Assistant Overseer of the Poor, forty-one dollats sixty-seven ($41 67).

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Edwards and adopted:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it will adjourn to meet at the Aldermanic Chamber, on Tuesday, the 9th inst., at 7½ o'clock P. M.

On motion of Alderman Smith the Board proceeded to the appointed of City Collector.

John B. Haight was nominated by Alderman Reardon.

William Plimley was nominated by Alderman Bumsted,

A balloting was had which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Edwards and Stier were appointed tellers.

John B. Haight received two votes.

William Plimley received ten votes.

Whereupon William Plimley, having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed City Collector.

On motion of Alderman Smith the Board proceeded to the appointment of City Marshal.

Bernard McGuigan was nominated by Alderman Reardon.

Samuel D. Ellis was nominated by Alderman Bumstead.

A ballot was held which resulted as follows:

The same tellers acted.

Samuel D. Ellis received eleven (11) votes.

Bernard McGuigan received one (1) vote.

Whereupon Samuel D. Ellis having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed City Marshal.

On motion of Alderman Mandeville the Board proceeded to the appnintment of Overseer of the poor.

Russel G. Dudley was nominated by Alderman Mandeville.

A balloting was had which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Smith and Joyce were appointed Tellers.

Russel G. Dudley receivtd eleven (11) votes.

One blank vote was cast.

Whereupon Russel G. Dudley having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed Overseer of the Poor.

On motion of Alderman Smith the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, May 9, 1871, at 7½ o'clock P.M.

Present—All the members of the board.

The minutes of the organization meeting of the 2d inst. were read and approved.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the rules were suspended to enable the special committee appointed on the 2d inst., to draft rules of order, to present their report.

Whereupon the special committee presented a report, submitting a draft of rules of order, and recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the rules of order reported at this meeting by the special committee be adopted for the government of this board, and that one hundred copies be printed under the direction of the committee on printing. The report was received.

Alderman Holden presented the following as an amendment:

"That the rule allowing the purchase of supplies to the extent of $20, be limited to the committee on stationery."

The amendment was rejected.

The resolution was then adopted.

The President announced the following as the standing committees of the board:

Alms—Alderman Wandle, Edwards, Bumsted.

Baths and Armories—Aldermen Mandeville, Bumsted and Savage.

Finance—Aldermen Holden, Steenken, Joyce.

Laws and Ordinances—Aldermen Smith, Stier, Reardon.

Liquor Licenses—Alderman Steenken, Wandle, Smith.

Nuisances—Aldermen Joyce, Holden, Mandeville.

Printing—Aldermen Stier, Joyce, Edwards.

Railroads—Aldermen Reardon, Smith, Steenken.

Stationery and Supplies—Aldermen Bumsted, Savage, Holden.

Streets—Aldermen Edwards, Mandeville, Stier.

Trade Licenses—Aldermen Savage, Reardon, Wandle.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, communications, etc., were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Petition of William Armstrong, to be appointed inspector and sealer of weights and measures, accompanied by recommendation of Wm. F. Snow and others.

Laid upon the table.

Petition of Daniel Watson, to be appointed a constable in the Third District, to fill vacancy caused by failure of J. J. Bouten to qualify, &c., recommended by S. B. Ransom and others.

Laid upon the table.

Petition of Robert Harriot, to be appointed pound-keeper, accompanied by recommendations of D. S. Gregory and others.

Laid upon the table,

Official bonds of Thomas McNeil, as a constable, with Michael McNeil and Patrick McNeil as sureties; of Adam Lincks as a constable, with Jacob Fried and George Scheitz as sureties, and of John Quirk as a constable, with James Grogan and Martin Rouse as sureties, all approved by the city attorney as drawn in legal form.

Accepted, approved and ordered filed in the comptroller's office.

Official bond of Samuel A. Mills, as a constable, with Thomas D. Mills and John H. Sanders, as sureties.

Referred to the city attorney.

Lease from W. B. Shafer, of armory, 27 and 29 Newark avenue, at $1,000 per annum.

Referred to committee on baths and armories.

Petition of David Barry, for abatement of nuisance at 19 North Fifth street.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Notice from W. B. Williams, attorney, of application by the Monte air Railway Company to the Supreme Court, for the appointment of commissioners to value lands belonging to Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, and necessary to be taken for the purposes of said railway.

Referred to the committee on railroads.

Petition of the Manhattan Telegraph Company for permission to carry their line of telegraph poles from corner of Washington and Beacon streets, to Grand avenue, thence one block to West St. Paul's avenue, one block to Tonnele avenue, thence along West Side avenue to the Newark plankroad, &c.

Referred to the committee on streets.

Petition of Thomas Golding for a license to keep a junk shop at 31 Brunswick street, Second District and of John Albert, John Clere, Jacob Wetterchen, Wm. H. Minugh and Hubert Esser, for licenses to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to the committee on trade and licenses.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk laid before the board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office on the 4th inst., and the same was read, received, and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
Jersey City, May 3, 1871.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen: I herewith return without my approval an ordinance which was passed by the Board of Aldermen on Tuesday evening, April 25, 1871.

The ordinance referred to is in relation to the rates of wharfage, and to regulate the public pier or wharf foot of Morgan street.

I have no objections to the ordinance becoming a law, and will approve of the same as soon as passed upon by the proper authority.

Section sixty-eight of the city charter delegates to the Board of Public Works the entire control of all public docks, wharves, piers, &c.

I therefore recommend that the said ordinance be referred to the Board of Public Works for their consideration. Very respectfully,

Yours, &c,
CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

A claim of Merseles & Co. $21 for wagon hire for Marshal for election purposes was returned by the board of police commissioners and referred to the committee on finance.

The city clerk presented a report of the failure to qualify within the time prescribed by law of the following named parties elected at the charter election, April 11, 1871: Chosen Freeholder, Francis Stoveken, First District; Constables, Stephen S. Sparks, First District; John J. Bouten, Third District; William Cleveland and Philip Kaiser, Fourth District. Also of the failure of Henry Saving, Constable, Sixth District, to give bond required by law.

The report was received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the board proceeded to the appointment of constables to fill existing vacancies.

FOR THE SIXTH DISTRICT.

Francis Henry Saving, junior, was nominated by Alderman Smith.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Stier and Edwards acting as tellers.

Francis Henry Saving, junior, received eleven votes.

One blank was cast.

Whereupon Francis Henry Saving, junior, having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed from the Sixth District.

FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.

John F. Richardson was nominated by Alderman Bumsted.

William Amsden was nominated by Alderman Wandle.

Two ballotings were had as follows:

The same tellers acted.

First Balloting.

John F. Richardson received six votes.

William Amsden received four votes.

Two blanks were cast.

Second Balloting.

Aldermen Holden and Reardon acted as tellers.

John F. Richardson received six votes.

William Amsden received five votes.

One black was cast.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, further balloting for Constable from the First District was suspended.

FOR THE THIRD DISTRICT.

David Watson was nominated by Alderman Stier.

Walter Van Derzee was nominated by Alderman Savage.

Dennis Farrell was nominated by Alderman Reardon.

Two ballotings were had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Steenken and Joyce acted as tellers.

First Balloting.

David Watson received five votes.

Walter Van Derzee received five votes.
Dennis Farrell received two votes.

Second Balloting.

Walter Van Derzee received nine votes.
Dennis Farrell received two votes.
One blank was cast.

Whereupon Walter Van Derzee having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed constable from the Third District.

FOR THE FOURTH DISTRICT.

Two vacancies—Abram Van Houten was nominated by Alderman Edwards.

Hugh O. Johnson was nominated by Alderman Reardon.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:
Aldermen Wandle and Reardon acted as tellers.
Abram Van Houten received nine votes.
Hugh O. Johnson received two votes.
One blank was cast.

Whereupon Abram Van Houten having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed constable from the Fourth District.

TO FILL REMAINING VACANCY.

William Ording was nominated by Alderman Steenken.

Hugh O. Johnson was nominated by Alderman Reardon.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:
Aldermen Mandeville and Joyce acted as tellers.
William Ording received nine votes.
Hugh O. Johnson received two votes.
One blank was cast.

Whereupon William Ording having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed constable from the Fourth District.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the board proceeded to the appointment of an overseer of the poor, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Michael Donnelly.

Russel G. Dudley was nominated by Alderman Smith.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:
Aldermen Smith and Reardon acted as tellers.
Russel G. Dudley received twelve (12) votes.

Whereupon, Russel G. Dudley having received all the votes cast, was declared appointed overseer of the poor to fill the vacancy and for the unexpired term.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Bumsted, and the same was received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the board, viz:

A supplement to an ordinance entitled "An ordinance providing for the appointment, prescribing the powers and duties, and regulating the compensation of inspector and sealer of weights and measures."

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Smith:

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to confer with the Police Commissioners and city attorney relative to the management and control of the almshouse department.

The resolution was rejected.

By Alderman Smith:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted on the 2d inst., ordering publication of fifteen hundred copies of the Mayor's message in pamphlet form be rescinded, and that one hundred copies of said message be printed in pamphlet form.

Alderman Reardon moved, "that the resolution be laid upon the table." The motion was rejected.

The resolution was then adopted.

By Alderman Mandeville, and adopted:

Resolved, That the hour of meeting of this board, until its further order, shall be 7½ o'clock P. M.

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the action had on the 2d inst., in ordering publication of annual message of Mayor in Hudson County Volksblatt be rescinded, for the reason that the publication of all papers is confined by the charter to the newspapers selected by the board of finance and taxation, and that said board be requested to order publication of said message in said excepted paper.

By Alderman Holden:

Resolved, That the ——— be, and is hereby selected the paper to furnish at each meeting of this board fifty copies of the minutes of proceedings in a manual form.

On motion of Alderman Holden, the board proceeded to fill the blank by ballot.

Alderman Holden named the Evening Journal.
Alderman Smith named the Daily Times.
Alderman Reardon named the American Standard.

Two ballotings were had, which resulted as follows;

Aldermen Edwards and Reardon acted as tellers.

First Balloting.

Daily Times received six votes.
American Standard received two votes.
Times and Journal received two votes.
Two blanks were cast.

Second Balloting.

Daily Times received eight votes.
Evening Journal received one vote.
American Standard received two votes.
Times and Journal received one vote.

Whereupon the Daily Times, having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared selected, and the blank was filled by inserting the word "Daily Times."

The resolution was then adopted.

By Alderman Mandeville, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on printing are hereby authorized to have printed for the use of the board one hundred roll calls, one hundred yeas and nays, and one hundred committee cards.

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Police Commissioners be requested to furnish the Board of Aldermen with the names of all persons and places of business where liquor is sold in the different districts of the city.

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the city clerk is hereby authorized to employ such help in his office as he may deem necessary until the further order of this board.

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the city attorney is hereby requested to furnish this board with his opinion as to the mode of procedure in appointment and tenure of office of the Board of Education heretofore appointed, and also the relative position of said old Board of Education to the Commissioners of Schools provided for in supplement approved April 6, 1871.

By Alderman Holden, and adopted:

Resolved, That a chair be provided for the use of the Mayor upon the floor of the Aldermanic Chamber within the clerk's rail, and that his Honor be invited to occupy the same during the sessions of the Board of Aldermen, at his pleasure.

The city attorney being present, he was, on motion of Alderman Smith, invited to and did address the board relative to the meaning and intention of that portion of the charter and supplement thereto concerning the Board of Education.

The following preamble and resolutions, prepared by the city attorney, were presented by Alderman Smith:

Whereas, at the last annual charter election in Jersey City, the electors failed to choose any persons who have qualified to be members of the Board of Education, as required by law; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That an election be held in Jersey City, according to law, on Tuesday, the twenty-third day of May, A. D. 1871, at which the electors of each Aldermanic District in Jersey City shall choose two of their number to be members of the Board of Education for the unexpired term ending on the first Monday in May next.

Resolved, That as soon as the result of said election shall have been ascertained, the city clerk shall notify each of the persons so chosen of his election, and the persons elected shall assemble in the City Hall on the evening of Wednesday, the thirty-first day of May, A. D. 1871, at eight o'clock, and organize themselves into a Board of Education according to law.

Resolved, That the city clerk do forthwith transmit an attested copy of these resolution to the Board of Police Commissioners of Jersey City.

The preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Joyce and Reardon.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, May 16, 1871, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 9th inst. were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, communications, etc., were presented, received, and disposed of as follows, viz:

Official bonds of Walter Van Derzee, as a constable, with William Harney and John Van Vorst as sureties, and of Abram Van Houten as a constable, with Edward Patchell and Robert Campbell as sureties, approved by the city attorney as drawn in legal form.

Accepted, approved and ordered filed in the comptroller's office.

Communication from William Plimley, declining the appointment of city collector, and returning thanks for honor sought to be conferred, &c.

Accepted and ordered filed.

Invitation from committee of arrangements to participate in the ceremonies on the occasion of the decoration of soldiers graves on the 30th of May.

Accepted.

Petition of Frederick Porrett and others, for the reappointment of John Speers as one of the pound keepers.

Laid upon the table.

Application of Daniel McCullough & Co., for a license to keep a restaurant at 318 South Seventh street, in the Third District of Jersey City.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of Hugh McDougall and D. P. Westervelt, owners of property northeast corner Prospect and North Twelfth streets for removal of obstruction caused by shanty on said North Twelfth street, occupied by James Flemming and —— Weaver.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Philip O'Neill & Son, owners of property southeast corner of Prospect and North Eleventh streets, for removal of obstruction from North Eleventh street, caused by shanty on street owned by James Reilly.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petitions of Wm. Syms, George W. H. Rogers, George Fewkes and Joseph Huviler, for licenses to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables; and of Jas. Campbell, for a junk shop license at 99 Steuben street, Second District.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk laid before the board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office on the 16th inst., and the same was read, received, and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, May 12, 1871

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—I herewith return without my approval a resolution passed at your last meeting, ordering an election to be held in Jersey City on Tuesday the twenty-third of May, A. D. 1871, at which time the electors of each Aldermanic District in Jersey City shall choose two of their number to be members of the Board of Education for the unexpired term, ending on the first Monday in May next.

By the provisions of the thirteenth section of the city charter, the electors of each Aldermanic District are required to choose two of their number to be members of the Board of Education from that district.

Section one hundred and twenty-three of the charter says that the members of the Board of Education shall organize on the first Monday in May, 1871.

By the provisions of a supplement to the charter, passed March 31, 1871, and approved April 6, 1871, the sections of the charter relating to the Board of Education were so amended as to authorize the Mayor to nominate to the Board of Aldermen three suitable persons from each Aldermanic District of said city as commissioners of public schools.

The second section of the supplement says: "And be it enacted, That so much of the act to which this is a supplement as conflicts with this act be and the same is hereby repealed."

On Tuesday, the second day of May, I sent a communication to your honorable body nominating three suitable persons from each Aldermanic District as members or the Board of Education in accordance with the city charter passed March 31, 1871, and the supplement approved April 6, 1871.

I am of the opinion that the persons nominated on the second day of May have been nominated as members of the Board of Education in accordance with the charter and the supplement thereto.

The objection raised by your honorable body is, that the charter provides for a Board of Education, and that the supplement provides for Commissioners of Public Schools. This objection is answered by the supplement, which repeals so much of the original act as conflicts with this act.

I question very much the authority of the Board of Aldermen to order an election for members of the Board of Education.

Section thirteen of the charter says: That at each election the electors of each Aldermanic District shall choose two of their number to be members of the Board of Aldermen, and two of their number to be members of the Board of Education from said district; and if for any cause the office of any such person become vacant, the Board of Aldermen may, in case the vacancy be in the Board of Aldermen, direct a special election to be held in his district to fill such vacancy.

It will be observed that the section which provides for the election of members of the Board of Aldermen and of the Board of Education, provides also that to fill vacancies in the Board of Aldermen only shall there be a special election. If it was the intention that vacancies should be filled in the Board of Education by a special election, why was the exception made that vacancies should be filled by an election for members of the Board of Aldermen only.

Section eighteen of the charter says: That the terms of office for officers elected under this act shall commence on the first Monday in May after the election, unless otherwise directed.

The Legislature have designated a time for the term of all officers under the city government, to commence:

The time specified for the organization of the members of the board of Education is May 1 1871.

The board of education, failing to organize at the time appointed by the Legislature, I would ask how can the board of education organize at a later period, unless otherwise directed by the Legislature, as stated in section eighteen of the charter.

In my opinion the supplement to the charter, approved April 6, 1871, (with all its provisions) is a law and in full force until otherwise ordered. In case the courts decide that the supplement to the charter does not provide for a board of education, in accordance with the charter, passed March 31, 1871. The members of the present board of education unquestionably hold over until the first Monday in May, 1872, unless otherwise directed by the Legislature.

Another objection to the resolution is the expense of an election, even if such election was legally ordered.

I cannot give the exact figures of the cost of the late election held in Jersey City, but am of the opinion that it cost the city not far from three thousand dollars. I can see no necessity whatever for this expenditure of money.

The public schools of this city can be continued under the present board of education, with no additional expense to the city.

Section one hundred and sixty-eight of the city charter says: That the board of education now existing in Jersey City shall perform the duties and exercise the powers assigned to such office by this act, and none others until an incumbent for such office is appointed and qualified by and under this act. Should the election take place on Tuesday, the twenty-third day of May, as ordered in your resolution, said election (if held) would be illegal. Section eight of the charter says: "That the board of police commissioners shall cause notice to be published in the official newspapers of the city for at least ten days before each election."

The board of police commissioners could not possibly receive an official notice of the proposed election until Wednesday next, the 17th inst., and the publication of a notice for ten days from that date, would extend the time to the 27th of May, or four days after the time specified in your resolution.

If in the judgment of your honorable body, the objections above mentioned are not sufficient to warrant you in a reconsideration of the resolution, it is your province to pass the same notwithstanding such objections

I will only say in conclusion, that I cannot consistently approve of a resolution which in my judgment is illegal and unnecessary.

Should the resolution become a law, the responsibility of the same, together with the expense of a special election, as well as any costs that may arise in consequence of your action, must rest with the Board of Aldermen and not with me.

I am gentlemen very respectfully yours, &c.,

CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

A report from the chief of police, in answer to resolution of the 9th inst., submitting a list of names of persons engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors, and places of business, was presented, received, and with the list referred to the committee on liquor licenses.

The city attorney reported as drawn in legal form the official bond referred to him on the 9th inst., of Samuel A. Mills, as constable. The report was received and the bond approved and ordered filed in the comptroller's office.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Alderman Reardon, from the committee on railroads, returned the notice referred to said committee on the 9th inst., from Montclair Railway Co., relative to city property necessary to be taken for the purposes of said railway. The notice was referred to the city attorney.

Alderman Bumsted, from the committee on stationery and supplies, verbally reported that, pursuant to resolution of the 9th inst., said committee have procured and placed in the chamber, inside the clerk's rail, a chair for the use of the Mayor at his pleasure. The report was received.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

A claim of the Times Printing Company $46, for job printing, was presented, and referred to the committee on printing

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the hour for meeting of this board be 8 o'clock P. M. instead of 7½ o'clock.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the city marshal shall have charge of the City Hall and the offices and committee rooms therein, and of the furniture and property thereunto belonging under the direction of the Board of Public Works; it shall be his duty to keep the same clean and in good order under the direction of said board, and to kindle and maintain fires therein when necessary, provide ice water for the aldermen, committees and officers in said building when required, and do and provide such other matters and things in and about the City Hall, as the convenience, comfort and necessities of said aldermen and officers may require; it shall further be his duty to serve and deliver all notices that may be required to be served by the aldermen or their several committees, and to serve and deliver all notices and papers of the city clerk.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the following entitled ordinance, presented April 25, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance to authorize the North Hudson County Railway Company to lay a track of iron rails in Clinton street, in Jersey City."

The ordinance was considered.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the first section was amended by inserting "two" instead of "three," as the length in hundred feet of each turnout laid, and by adding the following words: "turnouts now on Palisade avenue and the aforesaid turnouts on Clinton street be removed as soon as the sewer on Palisade avenue is completed."

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Reardon.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented on the 9th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"A supplement to an ordinance entitled 'an ordinance providing for the appointment, prescribing the powers and duties, and regulating the compensation of inspector and sealer of weights and measures.'"

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Reardon.

Alderman Bumsted moved:

"That the Board now proceed to the appointment of city collector."

Alderman Reardon moved:

"That the appointment be postponed for one week."

The motion was rejected.

The motion by Alderman Bumsted was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, and Smith.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Holden, and adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of two, consisting of Aldermen Bumsted and Joyce, be appointed to wait upon his Honor the Mayor to apprise him that a chair has been provided for his use upon the floor of the Aldermanic Chamber, and to invite him to occupy the same.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board proceeded to the consideration of the objections presented at this meeting from his Honor the Mayor, to approving resolutions adopted on the 9th instant, ordering a special election for members of the Board of Education.

Alderman Smith moved:

"That the resolutions do now pass, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor."

Alderman Reardon moved:

"That the motion be laid upon the table."

The motion was rejected.

The motion by Alderman Smith was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Alderman Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Joyce and Reardon

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, May 23, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 16th inst. were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, communications, etc, were presented, received, and disposed of as follows, viz:

Official bond of Francis H. Saving, Jr., as a constable, with J. B. Clevela d and M. H. Gillett as sureties, approved by the city attorney as drawn in legal form.

Accepted, approved, and ordered filed in the comptroller's office.

Official bond of William Ording, as a constable, with Frederick W. Schroeder and John F. Rodefeldt as sureties, approved by the city attorney as drawn in legal form.

Referred to committee on finance.

Petitions of William C. White, to be appointed poundkeeper; Robert Harriot, to be appointed poundkeeper; and of D. Van Winkle and others, for the appointment of William J. Brooks as inspector and sealer of weights and measures.

Laid upon the table.

Petition of C. A. Smith and others, for abatement of nuisance caused by filling in garbage on lots on North Second street, between Monmouth and Brunswick streets.

Referred to committee on nuisances with power, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Petition of William Grice, for abatement of nuisance caused by smoke-stack of stationary engine belonging to William B. Flynn, situated near the corner of South Fourth street, on Brunswick street.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Petition of F. O. Matthiesson and Wickers, for permission to erect a wooden shed or awning in front of their premises in Essex street for the protection of goods in stormy weather.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of the Grover & Baker Sewing Machine Co., for permission to erect a hitching post in front of s ore No. 124 Washington street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Frederick Darmer, for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, corner of Bergen and Bramhall avenues.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of William Perry and others, cartmen, for the passage of an ordinance regulating carts, &c.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of John H. Sanders and John McFeeley, for licenses to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, and of Michael Monahan, for a license to keep a junk shop at 48 Railroad avenue, Second District.

Referred to committee on rade licenses.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication from J. Dixon, Junior, city attorney, giving notice of passage of law by legislature prohibiting board of aldermen from paymen of any claim unless items are specified and sworn to, &c., was presented, received, and ordered filed.

A communication from H. H. Newkirk, clerk, submitting copy of a resolution adopted by the board of public works on the 16th instant, requesting the board of aldermen to take such action as they may deem necessary to prevent the throwing of carbage, &c., on the streets of the city, was presented, received and referred to the committee on streets.

A report from Abram Van Houten, pound master, for three months, ending May 18, 1871, was presented, received, and ordered filed.

The city clerk presented reports of the approval by the Mayor on the 18th instant, of the ordinances passed on the 16th instant, authorizing the North Hudson County Railway Company to lay a track of iron rails in Clinton street and, supplement to ordinance relative to sealer of weights and measures.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

Alderman Joyce, from the special committee appointed on the 16th instant to wait upon the Mayor and inform him that a chair has been procured for his use in Aldermanic Chamber, verbally reported that he had waited upon the Mayor, who desired to return his thanks for the courtesy and would avail himself of the privilege.

The report was received and the committee discharged.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on laws and ordinances presented a report submitting the following entitled ordinances, the report recommending that the ordinances be laid upon the table and printed on slips for the use of the board, viz:

"An ordinance to license and regulate inns and taverns and restaurants, and the sale of spirituous and intoxicating liquors."

"An ordinance concerning hack drivers, omnibus drivers and porters."

"An ordinance in relation to purchasing and selling junk, old rope, &c."

"An ordinance to regulate the sale of meat, fish, fruit and vegetables or kindling wood, or cigars and tobacco from wagons or other vehicles in Jersey City."

"An ordinance concerning nuisances."

"An ordinance to establish, regulate and control the appointment, duties and responsibilities of the poundkeepers in Jersey City."

The report was received and its recommendation adopted

The committee on streets, to whom was referred on the 16th instant, the petition of the Manhattan Telegraph Company, for permission to erect telegraph poles in Grand avenue and other streets, presented a favorable report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to the Manhattan Telegraph Company to erect a line of poles for carrying the wires of said Company from corner of Washington and Beacon avenues to Grand avenue; thence to West St. Paul's avenue; thence to Tonnele avenue; thence along West Side avenue to the Newark plankroad; each pole to be neatly trimmed and painted, and placed in such manner as in no way to interfere with public travel; the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the committee on streets, and the poles to remain where placed during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS AND ACCOUNTS.

Claims and accounts were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of W. B. Shafer, $83 38, and F. Pratt, $100.

Referred to committee on baths and armories.

Of Bernard McGuigan, $62 50, and George Veitengruber, $30.

Referred to committee on finance.

Of J. W. Harrison, $95 25 and $83 45.

Referred to committee on stationery and supplies.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Reardon:

Resolved, That a committee of two be appointed to procure carriages, and make the necessary arrangements for the attendance of this Board in the ceremony of decorating soldiers graves, May 30, 1871.

The resolution was adopted, and Aldermen Reardon and Wandle were appointed.

By Aldermen Wandle, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to provide some place suitable for the storage and distribution of supplies, to out door poor by the Overseer of the Poor.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Besolved, That the sum of fifty dollars ($50), is hereby appropriated to the special committee for the purchase of flowers for decoration of graves of soldiers, May 30, 1871.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That in the appointment of poundkeeper one shall be chosen from and shall exercise the powers and duties of said office in the District formerly known as Jersey City; one from and for the District formerly known as Hudson City, and one from and for the District formerly known as City of Bergen.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to provide for the use of the poundkeeper three public pounds for the impounding of animals, geese, &c., one in the District formerly known as Jersey City; one in the District formerly known as Hudson City; and one in the District formerly known as the City of Bergen.

By Alderman Stier, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on baths and armories be instructed to ascertain where a suitable location for a public bath could be obtained, and also the probable cost for the erection of the same and to report at the next meeting of this board.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, the Board proceeded to the appointment of city collector.

James H. Love was nominated by Alderman Smith.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Steenken and Reardon acted as tellers.

James H. Love received eleven votes, one blank was cast.

Whereupon, James H. Love having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed city collector.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, the Board proceeded to the appointment of inspectors of scales, weights and measures.

For the First, Second and Third Aldermanic District, Henry Knoop was nominated by Alderman Stier.

Abram C. Tuers was nominated by Alderman Mandeville.

John Lynch was nominated by Alderman Reardon.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

The same tellers acted.

Henry Knoop received seven votes.

Abram C. Tuers received three votes.

John Lynch received two votes.

Whereupon Henry Knoop, having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed an inspector of scales, weights and measures for the First, Second and Third Aldermanic Districts.

For the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Aldermanic Districts Matthew Telfer was nominated by Alderman Edwards.

Abram C. Tuers was nominated by Alderman Mandeville.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Holden and Reardon acted as tellers.

Matthew Telfe received eight votes.

Abram C. Tuers received three votes.

One blank was cast.

Whereupon Matthew Telfer, having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed inspector of scales, weights and measures for the Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Aldermanic Districts.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, the board proceeded to the appointment of a constable for the first aldermanic district.

William Amsden was nominated by Alderman Wandle.

John F. Richardson was nominated by Alderman Bumsted.

Joseph Carroll was nominated by Alderman Reardon.

Four ballotings were had, as follows:

Aldermen Bumsted and Joyce acted as tellers during the first, second, and third, and Aldermen Edwards and Reardon during the fourth balloting.

William Amsden received at each ballot 5 votes.

John F. Richardson received at each ballot 5 votes.

Joseph Carroll received at each ballot 2 votes.

After the third balloting Alderman Smith moved: "That further balloting be postponed."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Edwards, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken and Stier.

Nays—Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage and Wandle.

After the fourth balloting, on motion of Alderman Reardon, futher balloting was dispensed with.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the Board proceeded to the appointment of poundkeepers.

For the District formerly known as the City of Bergen, Wm. C. White was nominated by Alderman Holden.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Stier and Joyce acted as tellers.

Wm. C. White received eleven votes.

One blank was cast.

Whereupon Wm. C. White, having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed poundkeeper for the district formerly known as the City of Bergen.

For the district formerly known as Jersey City Robert Harriot was nominated by Alderman Savage.

John Speer was nominated by Alderman Joyce.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Wandle and Reardon acted as tellers.

Robert Harriot received ten votes.

John Speer received one vote.

Mickey Free received one vote

Whereupon Robert Harriot having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed poundkeeper for the district formerly known as Jersey City.

For the district formerly known as Hudson City.

George Hausch was nominated by Alderman Steenken.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Joyce and Smith acted as tellers.

George Hausch received eleven votes.

One blank was cast.

Whereupon George Hausch, having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed poundkeeper for the district formerly known as Hudson City.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, May 30, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 23d inst. were approved without reading.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, communications, etc., were presented, received, and disposed of as follows, viz:

Communication of F. Coombs, requesting privilege to address the board on matters of public importance. Granted, on motion of Alderman Reardon. Whereupon Mr. Coombs addressed the board, and was, on motion of Alderman Smith, requested to present his address in writing, and subsequently a communication from said Coombs was presented, and referred to the committee on finance.

Petition of C. Freedman and others, for abatement of nuisance caused by stagnant water, refuse matter, &c., in lot 30, block 13, adjoining school No. 9, corner of Pierce avenue and Paterson street.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Petition of H. F. Crawford and others, for the granting of permission to John Maul to keep a stand for the sale of newspapers at the corner of Grove street and Newark avenue.

Referred to the committee on streets with power, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Application of Patrick Reynolds, for license to keep a restaurant at corner of Madison and Columbia avenues, in the Fourth Aldermanic District of Jersey City.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of Charles D. Thomas, for a license to peddle meat, fish, fruit, and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Owen Conaghty and Ernst Crome, for licenses to keep junk shops.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

A petition of Wm. Grace, for abatement of nuisance caused by smokestack of engine on Brunswick street, near South Fourth street, referred to committee on nuisances on the 23d inst., was returned by said committee, and referred to the Board of Fire Commissioners.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS.

The following claims and accounts, referred to committees at former meetings of the board, were reported correct and ordered paid, viz:

Of John W. Harrison, for stationery, $95 25, and $83 45; Times Printing Company, for job printing, $46.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A report was presented from the board of fire commissioners setting forth that pursuant to the requirements of the city charter the board was organized April 3, 1871, by the election of John H. Carnes, president, and John F. Denmead, clerk, and that terms of office were drawn a follow:

J. H. Carnes, one year; D. F. Gregory, Jun., two years; T. W. Tilden, two years; John Boyd, three years; A. B. Dean, three years.

The report further stating that said board here engaged the services of an expert in order to secure capable engineers for steamers; that some of the houses of the department have been abandoned and notices sent to the board of public works; that there being no provision for tillermen in the charter, the board have assumed the responsibility of making such appointments and fixing the compensation; that they have made a thorough inspection of the houses of the department, and a full and complete record of the title of all real and personal property; that the title of all apparatus to be retained by the city has been fully acquired by a reasonable outlay; that the board disbanded Engine Company No. 6, on the 17th instant, for insubordination at the fire on the 16th instant; that a committee of the board have examined the working of the fire alarm telegraph, and are not favorably impressed with its utility; that the headquarters of the board have been established at house formerly occupied by Engine Company No. 4, in Bay street, near the junction of Newark avenue; and that everything necessary has been procured and it is highly probable that early in the ensuing month the paid system will be put in active operation.

The report was received and ordered filed.

A communication from the board of public works submitting a petition of Charles P. Knobler and others for removal of "rum sign" from Harrison avenue, was presented and referred to committee on streets.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on baths and armories presented a report in answer to resolution of 23d instant, setting forth that a bath 40x60 feet, containing fifty rooms, can be built at a cost of from ten to twelve thousand dollars, and recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to take such action as may be necessary to provide one or more baths for the use of the public.

The report was received.

On motion of Alderman Bumstead, the resolution was amended by striking out the words "or more."

The resolution as amended was adopted.

The committee on finance reported the following resolution on constable's bond, referred to them on the 23d instant:

Resolved, That the official bond of William Ording as a constable, executed by him as principal, and by Frederick W. Schroder and John F. Rodefelt as sureties, be accepted and approved, and that the said bond be filed in the comptroller's office.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

Claims of Merseles & Co., $21, for carriage hire for city marshal, and of George Vietengruber, $30, for refreshments furnished joint committee on fire alarm and police telegraph, March 10, 1871, were returned by the committee on finance and referred to the auditing committee of city account.

A claim of Bernard McGuigan, $62 50 for services as city marshal to May 15 1871, was returned by the committee on finance, and, on motion of Alderman Holden, referred to the city attorney to report at what rate the claim should be allowed.

Alderman Smith, from the committee on laws and ordinances, verbally reported the following entitled ordinances, viz:

"An ordinance to regulate the weighing of coal and measuring of wood."

"An ordinance providing for the appointment, prescribing the powers and duties and regulating the compensation of inspectors of scales, weights and measures."

"An ordinance to license and regulate carts express wagons, and the drivers thereof in Jersey City."

The ordinances were received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board.

The committee on streets reported the following resolution on petition referred to them on the 3rd inst:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted the Grover & Baker Sewing Machine Company to erect a hitching post in front of store 124 Washington street.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Russel G. Dudley, $51 66, $44 01 and $9 55.

Of Francis Naughton, $71.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of J. M. Lyon, $232 50.

Referred to committee on printing.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the City Attorney be instructed to furnish this Board with his opinion in writing as to the right, if any, of this Board of Aldermen to pass ordinances for the filling in of sunken lots on which nuisances exist and collection of expenses incurred in such proceedings, and if not vested in this Board whether any other Board can provide for the abatement of this kind of nuisances.

By Alderman Stier, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on printing are hereby authorized to have printed the necessary number of blank license applications.

By Alderman Stier, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on printing are hereby authorized to procure the necessary number of bill heads for use of parties having claims against the Board of Aldermen.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the following named for salaries due to June 1, 1871;

John E Scott. city clerk, for services for May. 1871.....$333 33
Samuel D Ellis, city marshal, for services from May 16 to 31, 1871..... 42 88
James H. Love, city collector, for services from May 27 to 31, 1871..... 37 64

By Alderman Mandeville:

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to procure official emblems for his Honor the Mayor, the aldermen, and the city clerk.

Alderman Smith moved:

"That the resolution be amended by adding the following words":

"Provided that each one bear his own expense, if at all."

The amendment was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of Alderman Holden:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Holden, Joyce, Reardon and Savage.

Alderman Holden moved:

"That the resolution be amended so as to read as follows:"

Resolved, That the city clerk cause cards to be printed in certificate form to be signed by the clerk and furnished to each Alderman to be carried in his pocket.

The amendment was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—Aldermen Holden and Savage.

Nays—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, the resolution was laid upon the table.

By Alderman Smith:

Resolved, That the City Attorney be requested to notify the Pavonia Horse R. R. Co., to remove their track from South Third street forthwith and if they fail to remove said track by June 3, the committee on streets are hereby authorized and requested to use any and all means necessary to remove the same.

Alderman Smith presented two petitions, signed by J. M. Savage and others, (presented April 15, 1871,) and H. M. Soule and others, for the removal of said tracks.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Joyce, Mandeville and Reardon.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented April 25, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance to repeal all ordinances and parts of ordinances heretofore passed, granting permission to the Pavonia Horse Railroad Company to lay railroad tracks in Provost street south of Pavonia avenue, and in Erie street west of Provost street and east of Monmouth street, and in Monmouth street south of North First street.

The ordinance was considered.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the title and first section were amended by striking out the word "Erie," and inserting in its stead the words "South Second," by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, and Reardon.

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Reardon.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance presented on the 23d inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz: "An ordinance concerning nuisances."

The ordinance was considered.

The fifth section was amended, on motion of Alderman Edwards, by adding the following words: "But in no case shall more than one-third of the width of carriageway of any street or avenue be granted for said purposes."

On motion of the same Alderman, the seventh section was amended by inserting after the words "offensive matter that" the word "shall" instead of the word "may," and by adding the following words: "Said refuse or offensive matter to be placed on the sidewalk by even o'clock A. M." In the First and Second Districts on every Monday and Thursday, in the Third and Fourth Districts every Tuesday and Friday, and in the Fifth and Sixth Districts on every Wednesday and Saturday.

The ordinance as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Mandeville.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance presented on the 23d inst., was taken from the table for consideration:

An ordinance to regulate the sale of meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, or kindling wood, or cigars and tobacco from wagons and other vehicles in Jersey City.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the title and first and fourth sections were amended by inserting after the word "tobacco" the words "or any other merchandise," and was further amended by striking out the words "to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables" in the third section, and inserting after the word "persons" the words "under this ordinance," and by striking out the words "and has a family," in said third section.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the 5th section was amended so as to read as follows:

"Every licensee under this ordinance shall keep the number of his license upon some conspicious place on his wagon, cart or vehicle, and his name in full."

The ordinance as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted Edwards, Holden Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, June 6, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Absent—Alderman Mandeville.

The minutes were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received, and disposed of as follows, viz:

Petition of Henry Forbes, for a license to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of H. Lindsley and others, for removal of obstruction on Erie street, between South Second and South Third streets, caused by track of Pavonia Horse Railroad Company.

Referred to committee on streets.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS.

The following claims, referred to committees at former meetings of the Board, were reported correct and ordered paid, viz:

Of Russel G. Dudley, for services as overseer of poor, from May 9 to 16, $51 66; for services as overseer of poor, from May 16 to 31, $44 04, and monies expended in transportation of paupers $9 55; Francis Naughton, provisions for out door poor, late City of Bergen, $71.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A copy of a concurrent resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works May 30, 1871, and approved by the Mayor on the 1st inst., that the expenses of widening West Grand street, from land of A. J. Rapp to the Newark plankroad, be paid by the city by general tax, a communied by copy of petition of J. W. Soper, and diagram presented therewith, was presented, received, and referred to the committee on streets.

A report from the city attorney, of service of notice to Pavonia Horse Railroad Co. to remove track from South Third street, in accordance with resolution adopted May 30, 1871, was presented received, and ordered filed.

An opinion was presented from the city attorney in answer to resolution of May 30, 1871, setting forth "that the Board of Aldermen has power to declare by ordinance what shall be a nuisance in sunken lots, and to provide for the removal of the nuisance, and to impose a penalty on those who violate the ordinance;" and further, that in his opinion "the board have no power to fill a sunken lot and charge the expense upon the property, nor to order a lot filled simply because it is below grade, unless it becomes a public nuisance. The penalties collected for violation of ordinance might be made a fund for the removal of the annoyance where the owner failed."

The opinion was received and ordered filed.

The city attorney returned the claim referred to him May 30, 1871, of Bernard McGuigan, $62 50, for services as city marshal from May 1 to 15, with a report thereon setting forth that "under section 168 of charter Mr. McGuigan is entitled to the same rate of compensation for the period he remained city marshal after March 31, 1871, as he received before March 31, 1871."

The report was received, ordered filed, and, on motion of Alderman Smith, a warrant was ordered drawn in favor of Bernard McGuigan for the amount of his claim.

The city clerk presented reports of the approval by the Mayor on the 1st inst., of ordinances passed May 30, 1871, concerning nuisances, and regulating sale of fish, &c., from wagons, and on the 6th inst., of ordinance passed May 30, 1871, repealing ordinances granting permission to Pavonia Horse Railroad Company to lay rails in Provost street and other streets south of Pavonia avenue.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on finance to whom was referred May 30, 1871, the communication from Frederick Coombs, presented a report thereon setting forth that the board have no authority to act upon the same, and recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the petitioner be granted the privilege of withdrawing his petition.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred, May 23, 1871, the petition of Frederick Darmer for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, corner of Bergen and Bramhall avenues, presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to Frederick Darmer to erect an awning in front of store, corner of Bergen and Bramhall avenues

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred May 18, 1871, a petition of Philip O'Neill & Sons for removal of obstruction from North Eleventh street, presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on streets are hereby authorized to cause notice to be served on John Reilly, owner of shanty on North Eleventh street, near Prospect street, to remove said building by the 1st of October next, and if not removed by said time, that said committee are hereby directed to remove said building in the manner provided by law.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on motion of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Joyce and Reardon.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows, viz:

Of Thomas Gafney, $50; Julius Jerecki, $58 50; Thomas Rowlands, $50.

Referred to special committee on decoration of soldiers graves.

Of Michael Donnelly, $25 71.

Referred to committee to alms.

Of Times Printing Co., $193 90 and $92.

Referred to committee on printing.

Of Potter & Schermerhorn, $61 95.

Referred to committee on stationery and supplies.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on stationery and supplies are hereby authorized to procure at the expense of the city, (if they deem it necessary so to do,) a complete set of weights and measures for the use of the inspector of scales, weights and measures, for the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Aldermanic Districts, the said articles to remain the property of the city.

By Alderman Steenken:

Resolved, That the City Attorney be instructed to report to this Board, by what right the Paterson Plankroad Co., keep and maintain a toll gate and collect toll at the foot of Broad street, the said company not having made any repairs to said road for several years.

Referred to committee on streets, on motion of Alderman Bumsted.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the rails and ties of the Pavonia Horse Railroad Co., removed from South Third street, by the committee on streets, under authority of resolution adopted, May 30, 1871, be sold at auction by the street commissioner, under the direction of the committee on streets, upon five days' notice of said sale, and that any difference between the proceeds of said sale and cost of removal, if favorable to said company, be paid over to its treasurer; if otherwise to, be collected from said company by the City Attorney, and deposited when collected in the city treasury.

By Alderman Reardon:

Resolved, That the committee on railroads are hereby authorized to procure tickets from horse railroad companies for use of city marshal to expedite delivery of notices, the expenditure not to exceed fifty dollars.

The resolution was rejected.

On motion of Alderman Smith the following entitled ordinance, presented May 23, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance in relation to purchasing and selling junk, old rope, &c."

The ordinance was considered.

The third section was amended, on motion of Alderman Smith, by striking out the words "and has a family."

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden Reardon,, Joyce, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Edwards the following entitled ordinance, presented May 23, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

'An ordinance to establish, regulate and control the appointment, duties and responsibilities of the poundkeepers in Jersey City."

The ordinance was considered.

The first section was amended, on motion of Alderman Edwards, by striking out the words "in the sum of five hundred dollars, with two sureties, to be approved by the Board of Aldermen," and inserting, in their stead the words "in such sum and with such sureties as may be fixed by the Board of Finance and Taxation," and was further amended by adding the following words: "said assistant poundkeepers shall be entitled to all the rights, powers, privileges and fees allowed to poundkeepers, under this ordinance and shall each give a bond to the city in its corporate name, to be accepted by the Board of Aldermen for such time and with such sureties as may be fixed and approved by the Board of Finance and Taxation for poundkeepers, provided that each of said assistants shall furnish, at his own expense, a pound for care of animals impounded."

Alderman Holden moved, "That the third section be amended by striking out after the words 'may be taken by any person," the words "twenty-one years of age or over," and by striking out the proviso at the end of said section."

Alderman Reardon moved, as an amendment to the amendment, that the district formerly known as Jersey City be excepted from the provisions of said third section.

The amendment to the amendment was rejected.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Nays—President Farrier and Aldermen Joyce, Reardon and Stier.

The ordinance as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Steir and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Reardon.

On motion of Alderman Steenken, the following entitled ordinance presented May 23, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance to license and regulate inns and taverns and restaurants, and the sale of spirituous and intoxicating liquors."

The ordinance was considered.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the second section was amended by striking out the words, "and no freeholder shall sign more than one such certificate in any one year under a penalty of ten dollars for each offence."

On motion of Alderman Smith, the fourth section was amended by striking out the words "or restaurants" from the first line.

Alderman Holden moved:

"That the fourth section be amended by adding the words "for a license to sell malt or brewed liquors $25."

The amendment was rejected.

The ordinance as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance presented May 23, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance concerning hack drivers, omnibus drivers and porters."

The ordinance was considered.

The fourth section was amended, on motion of Alderman Smith, by striking out the words "and has a family;" and the eighth section was amended, on motion of the same Alderman, by inserting after the word "wear" the words "in a conspicuous place on his person."

The ordinance as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Smith the following entitled ordinance, presented May 30, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz.:

"An ordinance to regulate the weighing of coal and measuring of wood."

The ordinance was considered.

The second section was amended, on motion of Alderman Smith, by inserting after the words "fifty cents" the words "for any distance not exceeding one half a mile one dollar, for over one-half mile and not exceeding one mile one dollar, and fifty cents for any distance over one mile."

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented May 30, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration: "An ordinance to license and regulate carts, express wagons, and the drivers thereof in Jersey City."

The ordinance was considered.

The sixth section was amended, on motion of Alderman Edwards, by inserting after the word "number," the words, "and name," in the first and second lines.

The eighth section was amended, on motion of Alderman Reardon, by striking out the proviso, that an applicant for a driver's license shall have arrived at the age of twenty-one years.

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeays—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented May 30, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance providing for the appointment, prescribing the powers and duties, and regulating the compensation of inspectors of scales, weights and measures."

The ordinance was considered.

The third section was amended, on motion of Alderman Edwards, by striking out the words "June" and "November," and inserting in their stead the words "September" and "January."

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on streets report to the committee on laws and ordinances some plan for the more uniform naming of streets and numbering of houses.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board then adjourned. JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, June 13, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle

Alderman Reardon was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Alderman Savage.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 6th inst. were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Invitation from the James Coyle Association, to attend a pic nic at Dittmar's Park, June 13, 1871.

Received and ordered filed.

Petition of Jervis Dickmereen and others, for abatement of nuisance, consisting of stagnant water in block 250, between South Second and South Third streets.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Petition of James Lightbody, for abatement of nuisance, caused by stables, manure heaps, &c., on sidewalk in Morgan street, corner of Grove street.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Petition of Joseph Scott, for removal of nuisance, consisting of privy on adjoining lot owned by Mr. Wyncoop, which extends three feet into and over the line of said Scott's lot on Communipaw road or Harrison avenue, between Bergen and Monticello avenues.

Referred to committee on nuisances with power, on motion of Alderman Mandeville.

Petition of Martin O'Connor, for permission to erect an awning in front of store 366 South Eighth street.

Referred to committee on streets.

(Alderman Reardon appeared and took his seat.)

Petition of Anna Grafelmann, for permission to erect an awning in front of store corner of Warren and Hancock streets.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of E. S. Wells, for permission to place canvass awnings in front of his places of business, corner of Monticello avenue and Franklin street and corner of Palisade avenue and West Grand street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Charles Lyons for a license to keep a junk shop in Madison avenue, Fourth district.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS.

The following claims, referred to committees at former meetings of the board, were reported correct and ordered paid, viz:

Of Thomas Gafney, for coaches for Aldermen at decoration of soldiers' graves, May 30, 1871, $50; Julius Jereski, for gloves, crape, &c., for Aldermen at decoration of soldiers' graves, $58 50; J. H. Lyon, advertising and printing, $252 50; Potter & Schermerhorn, supplies for City Hall, $61 95; Thomas Rowlands, flowers for decoration of soldiers' graves; $50; Times Printing Company, for job printing, $92, Times Printing Company, advertising, $193 90.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk presented reports of the approval by his Honor the Mayor on the 9th instant, of the ordinances passed on the 6th instant, relative to inspectors of scales, weights and measures; hack drivers; omnibus drivers and porters; poundkeepers, purchase and sale of junk; inns and taverns and restaurants; carts and express wagons; and weighing of coal and measuring of wood.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on nuisances presented a report relative to existing nuisances, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the city attorney be instructed to report to this board an ordinance providing for the licensing and regulating of slaughter houses, and with power to prohibit the same; to prohibit slaughtering excepting in certain hours to be named therein, and also conferring powers on the proper officer of the city to remove or cause to be removed all pig pens, all fat boiling establishments and all manufactories from which nuisances may emanate. The report was received.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the resolution was amended by striking out the words "licensing and."

The resolution, as amended, was adopted.

The committee on streets presented a report recommending the adoption of the following resolution, referred to said committee on the 6th inst.:

Resolved, That the city attorney be instructed to report to this board by what right the Paterson Plankroad Company keep and maintain a toll gate and collect toll at the foot of Broad street, the said company not having made any repairs to said road for several years.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred May 30, 1871, the communication from Board of Public Works, submitting petition of C. P. Knoeller and others for removal of sign from Harrison avenue, presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution;

Resolved, That the committee on streets are hereby authorized to cause notice to be served on the owner of sign on Harrison avenue to remove said sign by June 17, 1871, and if not removed by said time that said committee are hereby directed to remove said sign.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred May 24, 1871, the petition of Matthiesen & Weichers for permission to erect an awning or shed over sidewalk on Essex street, presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to F. O. Matthiesen & Weichers to erect an awning in front of their premises in Essex street, said awning to remain at the pleasure of this board.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred May 16, 1871, the petition of McDougal & Westervelt, for removal of obstructions caused by shanty on North Twelfth street, presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on streets are hereby authorized to cause notice to be served on James Flemming and Weaver, owners of buildings on North Twelfth street near Prospect street, to remove said buildings by October 1, 1871, and if not removed by said time that said committee are hereby directed to remove said buildings in the manner provided by law.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred May 30, 1871, the petition of H. F. Crawford and others, for granting of permission to John Maul to keep a newspaper stand corner of Grove street and Newark avenue, presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to John Maul to keep a paper stand corner of Grove street and Newark avenue, to remain at the pleasure of the board.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred on the 6th instant the petition of H. Lindsley and others, for removal of tracks of Pavonia Railroad Company from Erie street, &c., presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the City Attorney be requested to notify the Pavonia Horse Railroad Co. to remove their tracks and ties from Erie street, between South Second and South Third streets, forthwith, and if not removed by June 19, 1871, the committee on streets are hereby authorized to cause said track to be removed.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred May 23, 1871, the resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works, May 16, 1871, relative to ashes and garbage thrown in the streets, &c., presented a report thereon setting forth that the subject matter of said resolution is covered by ordinance concerning nuisances, passed May 30, 1871, the following resolution accompanying the report:

Resolved, That the Board of Police Commissioners be requested to enforce the provisions of the ordinance passed May 30, 1871, entitled "An Ordinance concerning nuisances."

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of John Kohlmann $41 25.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of J. W. Harrison $115 71.
Referred to committee on stationery and supplies.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Stier, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committe on printing are hereby authorized to cause to be printed blank licenses of all kinds granted by this board, and with authority to have liquor licenses printed in a style similar to those used in New York city.

By Alderman Bumsted:

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to make arrangements for the celebration of the ninty-fifth anniversary of our National Independence, and that said committee are hereby authorized to expend an amount not exceeding three thousand five hundred dollars for said purpose,

On motion of Alderman Smith, the resolution was amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to make arrangements for the celebration of the ninety-fifth anniversary of our National Independence, and that the said committee confer with the committee of the Board of Public Works appointed for the like purpose, and report at the next meeting the result of said conference and estimate of amount necessary for said celebration.

The resolution as amended was adopted, and Aldermen Bumsted, Smith and Edwards, were appointed the committee.

By Alderman Holden, and adopted:

Resolved, That the several standing committees of the Board be requested to report to the committee on finance, an estimate of amount required for expenses of their several departments for municipal year, commencing July 1, next, to enable said committee on finance to report the amount required for tax levy.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That all applications for licenses to keep inns and taverns, and restaurants, must be presented to the Board of Aldermen on or before the first day of August next; and that the Board of Police Commissioners are hereby requested to cause notices to be issued and delivered to that effect, and to promptly enforce after said date the ordinance passed June 6, 1871.

Resolved, That no application for any kind of license will be received, unless the applicant shall first deposit the license fee with the city clerk.

By Alderman Wandle, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on alms are hereby authorized to purchase a horse and wagon, for use of the overseer of the poor, not to exceed the amount of three hundred and fifty dollars.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on alms are hereby authorized to purchase the necessary scales and measures for the use of the overseer of the poor.

By Alderman Joyce:

Resolved, That the committee on nuisances are hereby authorized to advertise for proposals for, a contract for the removal of ashes and garbage from the several districts, and in accordance with an ordinance passed May 30, 1871.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the resolution was amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That the committee on nuisances are hereby requested to confer with the street commissioner relative to the removal of ashes and garbage, and to report at the next meeting of the board.

The resolution, as amended, was adopted.

By Alderman Joyce, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to cause the gutter on south side of Morgan street, between Prospect and Warren streets, to be raised sufficient to prevent stagnant water from forming thereon.

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on streets be requested to suggest some suitable place for carts and express wagons to stand.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, June 20, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Absent—Aldermen Mandeville, Reardon and Stier.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 13th inst., were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation from the Jersey City Schutzen Corps, to attend their first annual Schutzen Fest, at Mount Pleasant Park, on Monday the 26th inst.

Accepted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

Petition of Daniel Phillips, for permission to run a line of stages (hired by himself), June 21, 1871, from the corner of Newark and Jersey avenues to Glendale Grove on Newark plankroad, on occasion of picnic.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the prayer of the petitioner was granted.

Application of Chris Casselman, for a license to keep a restaurant at 330 South Seventh street, in the Third District of Jersey City.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petitions of John McCue, Patrick Griffy, Timothy Buttimmore, Thomas Kinduff and John Lynch, for licenses to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Adolph Glimm, for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises 318 Wayne street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Henry Klein, for removal of track of Pavonia Horse Railroad Company, corner of West St. Paul's avenue and Second street, from the curb to centre of street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Summons issued by the Supreme Court of New Jersey at the suit of James Sherry and John Lennon, to recover the sum of $4,000 due said parties, &c.

Referred to the city attorney.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS.

The following claims referred to committees at former meetings of the board, were reported correct and ordered paid, viz:

Of Michael Donneny, for transportation of paupers $25 71; John W. Harrison for stationery for offices and Council Chamber, $115 71; and John Kohlmann for supplies for out door poor of Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh and Twelfth Wards, $41 25.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk laid before the board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office on the 20th instant, and the same was read, received, and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, June 15, 1871.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen: I beg to return without my signature the following resolution, passed at your last meeting:

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to make arrangements for the celebration of the ninety-fifth anniversary of our National Independence, and that said committee confer with the committee of the Board of Public Works appointed for like purpose, and report at the next meeting the result of said conference, and estimate of the amount necessary for said celebration.

I cannot find in the city charter any section or provision where the Board of Aldermen have any authority to expend money for the purpose specified in the resolution.

I am, gentlemen, very respectfully, &c.

CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

Alderman Bumsted moved:

That the resolution do now pass notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Alderman Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Joyce.

The city clerk laid before the Board the following communication from His Honor the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office on the 20th inst.; and the same was read, received and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, June 15, 1871.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City

Gentlemen:—I beg leave to return the following resolution, passed at your last meeting:

Resolved, That the committee on alms are hereby authorized to purchase the necessary scales and measures for the use of the overseers of the poor.

By the provisions of section ninety-nine of the city charter, the board of police commissioners, alone, have authority to make contracts and purchase goods, necessary for the management and support of the almshouse department.

I am, gentlemen, very respectfully yours, &c.

CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

Alderman Smith moved:

"That the resolution do now pass notwithstanding the objections of His Honor the Mayor."

The motion was adopted by the following vote: the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Joyce.

The city clerk laid before the board the following communication from His Honor the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office on the 20th inst., and the same was read, received and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, June 15, 1871.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City;

Gentlemen: I beg leave to return the following resolution, passed at your last meeting:

Resolved, That the committee on alms are hereby authorized to purchase a horse and wagon for the use of overseer of the poor, not to exceed the amount of three hundred and fifty dollars.

The authority to regulate and control the alms house and to make contracts relative to the reception and support of paupers in said alms house, is delegated to the Board of Police Commissioners, which authority you will find in section ninety-nine of the city charter.

I am, gentlemen, very respectfully yours, &c.,

CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

Alderman Smith moved:

"That the resolution do now pass notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor."

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Nays—None.

The city clerk laid before the board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office on the 20th inst., and the same was read, received and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, June 15, 1871.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—I herewith return without my approval the following resolution passed at your last meeting:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to John Maul to keep a paper stand corner of Grove and Newark avenue, to remain at the pleasure of the Board.

The streets and sidewalks of the city are dedicated to the public for travel only and cannot be diverted for any other purpose.

I therefore question the authority of the Board of Aldermen to grant the use of any portion of any one of the streets or sidewalks of the city for the purpose named in the resolution. Even if such power was delegated to the Board of Aldermen it would, in my opinion, be unwise and very injudicious to grant the privilege asked, for your honorable body would be overrun with petitions asking for similar favors.

Permission may be asked for the privilege of erecting a stand on the sidewalk in front of the private residence of every member of the Board of Aldermen for the purpose of selling fish or vegetables. I am of the opinion that such applications would not receive a very favorable consideration at your hands, and it would not be consistent for your honorable body to favor one and refuse another.

Should the resolution become a law, it would have no effect whatever, as the street commissioner is authorized to remove all obstructions except those

permitted by the State authorities from every street or sidewalk of the city by ordinance, which ordinance cannot be set aside by a resolution.

Very respectfully, yours, &c.,
CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

Alderman Edwards moved that the resolution do now pass, notwithstanding the objection of his Honor the Mayor.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Savage, Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

Nays—None.

A communication from the clerk of the police commissioners returning a certified copy of ordinance regulating inns and taverns and restaurants, with a request from said commissioners that the Board of Aldermen cause said ordinance to be printed for circulation, which will then be distributed and enforced, was presented received, and on motion of Alderman Steenken referred to the committee on liquor licenses, with power.

The report of John Speers, pound master from March 10 to June 7, 1871, was presented, received and ordered filed.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Finance and Taxation on the 16th inst., appropriating $3,500 for the celebration of the 95th anniversary of our national independence, said sum to be expended under the supervssion of the Board of Aldermen, was presented, received, and referred to the special committee appointed on the 13th inst.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on nuisances, who were instructed by resolution adopted on the 13th instant, to confer with the street commissioner relative to the removal of ashes und garbage, presented a report setting forth that they have conferred with said officer and are informed by him that he can have all ashes and garbage removed by the carts of the street department provided a dumping ground for such material is procured, otherwise the Board of Aldermen must make contract for said work.

The report was received.

The committee on streets reported the following resolutions on petitions referred to said committee on the 13th inst. for permission to erect awnings:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to E. S. Wells, during the pleasure of this board, to place and maintain canvas awnings in front of stores, corner of Monticello avenue and Franklin street, and corner of Palisade avenue and West Grand street.

Resolved That permission is hereby granted to Martin O'Connor, during the pleasure of this board, to erect an awning in front of his store, No. 366 South Eighth street.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to Anna Rafalmann, during the pleasure of this board, to erect an awning in front of store, corner of Warren and Hancock streets.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Brown, Harris & Hopkins, $40 46; Christian Kratz, $18 45; Paul Schober, $58 20; Totten Brothers, $59 10.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of Christian Kratz, $41 66.

Referred to committee on finance.

Of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, $311 80; John H. Lyon, $575 20.

Referred to committee on printing.

Of A. B. Reynolds, $15 70

Referred to committee on stationery and supplies.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received, and disposed of as follows;

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the city clerk be requested to furnish the Presidents of the Boards of Public Works, Police and Fire Commissioners, with a manual of this board each week.

By Alderman Smith:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be recommended to purchase one or more marsh or low lots, with a view of filling the same with garbage, &c., from streets.

Alderman Holden, moved:

That the resolution be amended, so as to read as follows.

Resolved, That the committee on nuisances be requested to confer with the Board of Public Works, as to the practicability of purchasing one or more marsh or low lots, with a view to filling the same with garbage, &c., from streets.

The amendment was accepted, and the resolution was then adopted.

By Alderman Holden, and adopted.

Resolved, That the keeping of swine (except for immediate slaughter) within the limits of Jersey City, is hereby declared a nuisance; and all persons are hereby prohibited from keeping swine within the limits of the city after the first day of July next, and any person or persons who shall violate the provisions of this resolution after the 10th day of July next, shall be liable to such penalties as may be inflicted under the ordinance passed to prohibit nuisances.

By Alderman Holden, and adopted:

Resolved, That the special order of business of the next meeting of this Board the 27th instant, shall be the fixing of estimate to send to Board of Finance and taxation for annual tax levy for year ending June 30, 1872.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chambers, Tuesday, June 27, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Absent—Alderman Holden.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 20th inst. were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation from Caledonian Club of Hudson County to attend their annual games at Floral Park, West Hoboken, Tuesday, July 4, 1871. Accepted.

Draft of a lease executed by W. B. Shafer, of armory, 27 and 29 Newark avenue, at $1,750 per annum.

Referred to committee on baths and armories.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

Christian Moshel, 263 Wayne street, Second District.

William Helfrish, Palisade avenue, Fourth District.

Christian Jahn, Tuers avenue, near Bergen street, Fifth District.

Alexander Pairson, Newark, near Chestnut avenue, Fifth District.

Henry M. Riker, corner Berge wood and Newark avenue, Fifth District.

Daniel Phillips, Newark plankroad, Glendale House, Fifth District.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of M. Maloney and James Smith for abatement of nuisance caused by stagnant water in lot 28, block 356.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Petition of Theodore Gubelman, photographer, for permission to place a show-case on the sidewalk in front of 79 Newark avenue.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Joseph Warrin for a license as a city auctioneer.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of Michael Long, John Rome, William Feneran, Louis Shunk, John Helfrich and Adam Weide for licenses to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Communication from R. A. Henry, requesting the appointment of his son, Selden T. S. Henry, to the free scholarship in Columbia College.

Referred to the Board of Education.

Summons issued by James N. Davis, Justice of the Peace, at the suit of John Geraghty, in a plea of debt, demand $68.

Referred to city attorney.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:

From committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Totten Brothers for fifty nine dollars and ten cents, for meat for outdoor poor for May, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Paul Schober for fifty-eight dollars and twenty cents, for meat for outdoor poor from May 6 to June 13, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Christian Kratz for eighteen dollars and forty-five cents, for supplies for poor and transportation of paupers.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Brown, Harris & Hopkins for forty dollars and forty-six cents, for scales, weights, &c., overseer of the poor.

From committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of A. B. Reynolds for $15 70, for supplies for City Hall.

The resolutions were adopted.

By consent of the board, and under the suspension of the rules, the following resolutions were reported by committees, in payment of claims presented and referred to this meeting, viz:

From committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley for two hundred dollars, for horse for overseer of the poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of F. Porrett & Son for one hundred dollars, for wagon for overseer of the poor.

From committee on printing:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the Times Printing Company for three hundred and seventy-one dollars and seventy cents for advertising ordinances.

From committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Potter & Schermerhorn for two hundred and eighty dollars for one full set of weights and measures for inspector.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Potter & Schermerhorn for fifty-five dollars and forty cents for supplies for the City Hall.

The resolutions were adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred, on the 20th instant, the petition of Adolph Glimm for permission to erect an awning, presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted, during the pleasure of the board, to Adolph Glimm to erect an awning in front of his premises, No. 318 Wayne street.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred June 6, 1871, the concurrent resolution from Board of Public Works, that expense of widening a portion of West Grand street be paid by general tax, presented a favorable report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolution from the Board of Public Works, that the whole of the expenses of the widening and straightening of West Grand street, from the westerly line of lands of A. J. Kapp to the Newark plankroad, as shown on application accompanied by a diagram, showing the plan of said improvement presented to said Board by John W. Soper and others, should be borne by the city at large, and paid by general tax, which resolution was adopted by said Board May 30, 1871, be, and is hereby concurred in by this Board of Aldermen.

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing resolution be transmitted by the city clerk to the Board of Public Works. The report was received.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Reardon.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of E. S. Ashley, $5 50.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of Robert Harriot, $72.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the board took a recess for fifteen minutes.

(During the recess Alderman Stier retired.)

On the reassembling of the board resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted;

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the following named for salaries for June, 1871: John E. Scott, city clerk, $333 33; S. D. Ellis, marshal, $83 33; James H. Love, collector, $291 66, and for May 27, 1871, omitted in previous payment, $9 41; Russel G. Dudley, overseer of the poor, $83 33.

By Alderman Mandeville, and adopted:

Resolved that a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer for $83 34 for rent of armory 27 and 29 Newark avenue for April, 1871.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That when this board adjourn they do so to meet on Wednesday evening, July 5, at 8 o'clock.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That the City Clerk is hereby authorized to publish, in the official papers of the city, a notice to the effect that all licenses granted under authority of ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, expire July

1, 1871, and that application must be made immediately for renewal.

The committee on finance presented a report submitting the following estimate of monies required for municipal year, commencing July 1, 1871, and ending June 30, 1872, for transmission to the Board of Finance and Taxation for insertion in tax levy for said municipal year:

For support of outdoor poor	$20,000
For purchase of coal for outdoor poor	2,000
For purchase of horse and wagon for the overseer of the poor, and for keeping the same in good order and repair	800
For legal expenses	1,000
For printing	5,000
For expense of naming the streets, avenues and public places	3,500
For contingent expenses	2,000
For rent of armories for military companies authorized by the State, and belonging to the regular militia	3,000
For stationery and supplies	5,000
For removal of ashes and garbage	10,000

The report was received.

The estimate was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

Nays—Alderman Reardon.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Adjourned regular meeting at the Alderm and Chamber Wednesday, July 5, 1871, at 8 o'clock P.M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Mand-ville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Steir, and Wandle.

Alderman Edwards was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Aldermen Holden and Joyce.

The minutes of the regular meeting of June 27, 1871, were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Thomas Roche, 13 North Fifth street, Second District.

Patrick Donahue, northeast corner Hudson avenue and White street, Second District.

Patrick Caughlin, White street, near Hudson avenue, Second District.

John O'Rourke, Colden Place, Second District.

Adam Freund, 248 South Eighth street, Third District.

Henry J. Calls, 278 Newark avenue, Third District.

Patrick Sullivan, West St. Paul's near Bergenwood avenue, Fourth District.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

FOR JUNK SHOP LICENSES.

John McPhillips, 196 Washington street, Second District.

Patrick McArdle, 196 Washington street, Second District.

Peter Ehrgott, 257 Railroad avenue, Second District.

Edward McEvoy, 163 Prospect street, Third District.

Edward Lawrence, Colden street, near Bergen avenue, Fourth District.

Patrick Gallagher, 63 Meadow street, Fourth District.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Jeremiah D. O'Connell, Peter Nelson, John W. Stringham, Michael Hagan and Patrick Dolan, for licenses to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:

From committee on printing:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John H. Lyon, for $575 20, for advertising ordinances.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, for $311 80, for job printing and advertising.

The resolutions were adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Alderman Smith, from the committee on laws and ordinances, verbally reported the following entitled ordinances, viz:

"An Ordinance in relation to the sidewalks, public grounds and streets in Jersey City."

"An Ordinance respecting dogs."

"An Ordinance to prevent the carrying of loaded or concealed weapons within the limits of Jersey City."

"An Ordinance amendatory to an Ordinance, entitled 'An Ordinance in relation to purchasing and selling junk, old rope,' passed June 6, 1871."

"An Ordinance for the relief of Moses K. Kellum, in construction of bow window in building southeast corner of Wayne street and Jersey avenue."

The ordinances were received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolutions and applications heretofore referred to said committee. The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license be granted to Alexander Pairson to keep a restaurant at Newark near Chestnut avenue, in the Fifth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Christian Moshel to keep a restaurant at 263 Wayne street, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Christian Jahn to keep a restaurant at Tuers avenue near Bergen street, in the Fifth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to William Helfrich to keep a restaurant at Palisade avenue, near Franklin street, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Daniel Phillips to keep a restaurant at Newark plankroad, Glendale House, in the Fifth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Henry M. Riker to keep a restaurant at corner Bergenwood and Newark avenues, in the Fifth District.

The resolutions were severally adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

(Alderman Edwards appeared and took his seat.)

Resolved, That a license be granted to Daniel McCullough & Co. to keep a restaurant at 318 South Seventh street, in the Third District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Chris. Casselman to keep a restaurant at 330 South Seventh street, in the Third District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John Murphy to keep a restaurant at 137 North First street, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to William J. Lynch to keep a restaurant at 336 South Eighth street, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Patrick Reynolds to keep a restaurant at corner of Madison and Columbia avenues, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to William Campbell to keep a restaurant at 46 Madison avenue, in the Fourth District.

The resolutions were severally adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions on application heretofore referred to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 99 Steuben street, in the Second district of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to James Campbell, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at Madison avenue, near Montgomery avenue, in the Fourth district of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Charles Lyons, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at corner North Eleventh and Grove streets, in the Second district of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Ernst Crome, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 48 Railroad avenue, in the Second district of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Michael Monahan, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license as a city auctioneer be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Joseph Warren, on his paying the license fees and giving the bond required by the ordinance relating to such licenses.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Mandeville, Reardon Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nays—None.

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Herbert Esser, John Clore, William H. Minugh, Jacob Welterschen, John Albert, Joseph Huvner, George Fewkes, George W. H. Rogers, William Symes, John H. Sanders, John McFeeley, Charles L. Thomas, Henry Forbes, John Lynch, Thomas Kilduff, John McCune, Timothy Buttimore, Patrick Griffy, Michael Long, John Rome, William Feneran, Louis Shunk, John Helfrich, and Adam Weide, on their paying the license fees.

The resolution was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Coykendall Bros., $211 80; Drayton & Durant, $161 14; R. G. Dudley, $19 76.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of John B. Haight, $244 66.

Referred to committee on finance.

Of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, $94 and $667 50.

Referred to committee on printing.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner be and is hereby requested to remove the track and ties belonging to the Pavonia Horse Railroad Company between South Second and South Third streets, they not having removed them within the specified time.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Whereas, That part of the road running through the city of Hoboken belonging to the New York and Paterson Plankroad Company has for a long time been impassable and useless for public travel; and

And whereas, That portion of said road running through the Fourth Aldermanic District of the city is kept by the said company in a very bad condition; and whereas the said company still maintains a toll-gate near the foot of Broad street, in said district.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be, and is hereby requested to report to this board: 1st, What right the said company have to fix and maintain a toll gate in this city; 2d, If such right exists, what is the legal rate of toll required from travelers using only that part of the road lying in this city.

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby requested to compel the owner of Nos. 142 and 144 Pavonia avenue to relay the flagging in front of said premises, and to cause the hydrant on said premises to cease running when not in actual use.

By Alderman Wandle, and adopted:

Resolved, That the city attorney be requested to furnish this board with his opinion in writing, as to the powers of the Board of Aldermen under the charter to provide for the support of outdoor poor, and the furnishing to the overseer of the poor of means necessary to perform his duty.

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to cause a gas lamp to be erected in front of No. 48 Newark avenue.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, July 18, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, Aldermen Bumsted, Joyce, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Alderman Holden was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Aldermen Edwards, Reardon and Savage.

The minutes of the regular meeting of June 27, 1871, and adjourned regular meeting of July 5, 1871, were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, per W. Muirhead, Secretary, for use of Aldermanic Chamber on Friday evening of each week.

Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

Petition of David Harper, Peter McElroy, Philip White and James Colahan, jun., dealers, for relief in payment of license fee paid in April, 1871, the law making said licenses expire July 1, 1871.

Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

John C. Hopkins & Co., 40 Montgomery street, First District; John C. Hopkins, Jr., 22 Exchange place, First District; Louis Heller, 109 Montgomery street, First District; Cooper Bros., 11 Exchange place, First District; Michael O'Keefe, 129 Morgan street, Second District; Patrick Byrnes, corner Mercer and Colgate streets, Second District; Peter Conners, corner Mercer and Putnam streets, Second District; Christopher Gibbons, 138 Pavonia avenue, Second District; Thomas Gorman, 302 Prospect street, Second District; Michael Murtagh, 506 Grove street, Second District; George Harriot, 221 Provost street, Second District; Michael Moore, 323 Newark avenue, Second District; Owen McCue, corner Grove and Morgan streets, Third District; James Gromis, corner South Third and Prospect streets, Third District; Patrick J. Foley, 312 South Seventh street, Third District; John Hart 214 Railroad avenue, Third District; L. Taste, corner Jackson st. & Montgomery avenues, Fourth District; Henry Behnken, corner Franklin street and Bergen avenue, Fourth District; Herman Brun, Montgomery avenue, corner Scott street, Fourth District; Mrs. B. Connolly, Madison avenue, between Bergenwood and Montgomery avenue, Fourth District; John A. Sauer, Newark avenue and Fraze place, Fourth District; Patrick McDonough, 402 Palisade avenue, Fourth District; John Bryson corner Montgomery and Beacon avenues, Fourth District; Chas. Bodecker, southeast corner of Paterson street and Passaic avenue, Fourth District; John P. Reinhardt, corner of Franklin and Bergen avenue, Fourth District; Tobias Martini, corner of Summit avenue and Thorne street, Fourth District; Henry Rolfs, corner of Palisade avenue and Franklin street, Fourth District; John Barr, corner of Newark avenue and Bleecker street, Fourth District; Christian Krak, Paterson street and Summit avenue, Fourth District; John Hoerock, corner of West St. Paul's avenue and Fourth street, Fourth District; Marcus Martin, northeast corner of Franklin and Montgomery avenues, Fourth District; Robert Blewitt, Grand street near Jackson avenue, Fifth District; Wm. Cooke, corner of Academy street and Washington Place, Fifth District; Edward J. Fitzsimmons, corner of Church street and Water avenue, Fifth District; Thos. C. Scott, Newark avenue near Five Corners, Fifth District; Adam Bender, Sherwood House, Bergen Point plankroad, opposite Bramhall avenue, Sixth District; Robert Ferguson, Bergen Point plankroad, near Newark and New York Railroad, Sixth District; Patrick Anglesey, 301 Grand street, Sixth District; S. Goehner, Bergen avenue, near Columbia street, Sixth District; Joseph Schulhan, 5 Grove street, Sixth District; James Reilly, Newark plankroad, near Jackson avenue, Sixth District; John Convery, Pine street, near Lafayette street, Sixth District.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of Bernard McCourt, for permission to erect a sign over walk in front of store, corner of Ocean and Grand streets.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of John M. Gibson, for a license as a city auctioneer.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

FOR JUNK SHOP LICENSES.

Philip White, corner Hudson and Essex streets, First District; Philip White, corner Hudson and Essex streets, First District; James Devlin, 151 Bay street, Second District; Michael Keenan, Grace street, between Montgomery and Summit avenues, Fourth District; James Tully, Beacon, near Oakland avenue, Fourth District; Bernard Kaines, Walnut street, near Grand avenue, Fourth District; Thomas Lynch, 24 Charles street, Fourth District; Hugh McDevett, Beacon near Bergenwood avenue, Fourth District.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of Thomas Farrington, James Garland, John Ryan, David Perry, Henry Deubert, John Conklin, Augustus Christman, John Mulligan, Charles Fields, Michael Curran, Cornelius McGuire, Dennis Dunning, E. Fick, George Erhart, James Tully, Lewis C. Alberts, Louis Kieswetter and Jos. Erhart, for licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of Isaac Freeman and Daniel O'Donnell, for licenses to vend merchandise other than fish, &c.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:

From committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Coykendall Brothers for two hundred and eleven dollars and eighty cents for groceries for alms department.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley for five dollars and fifty cents for wagon hire for Overseer of Poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of R. H. Dudley for nineteen dollars and seventy-six cents for monies expended transferring paupers.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Drayton & Durant for one hundred and sixty-one dollars and fourteen cents for bread for outdoor poor.

The resolutions were adopted.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

An opinion from the city attorney was presented, setting forth that "the charter of the Paterson and New York Plankroad Company, passed March 14, 1851, authorizes it to construct a road from a point in Paterson to the Hudson River, opposite the City of New York, and to erect gates across the road whenever three miles are completed, and to charge tolls, and that he knows of no act of said company by which it has relinquished the rights thus given at this end of the road. The mere fact that the road is out of repair is not sufficient to work a forfeiture of the right. Some judicial action to enforce the rights of travelers or to restrain the exercise of the powers of the company is necessary if the road is not kept in proper repair, but no action of the Board of Aldermen can remedy the trouble. The fees prescribed by the charter are: for carriages, &c., drawn by one beast, 2½ cents per mile; every additional beast, 1 cent a mile; every horse and rider, or led horse or mule, 1 cent a mile; every dozen of calves, sheep or hogs, 6 cents a mile; every dozen of horses, mules or cattle, 12 cents a mile."

The opinion was received and ordered filed.

An opinion from the city attorney was presented setting forth that by the statute of New Jersey entitled "An act for the settlement and relief of the poor," the powers and duties of the overseers of the poor through the State are defined, and such provisions made as seemed necessary for the relief of the poor. The charter of Jersey City passed last spring, in section 34, provides that the overseer shall perform such duties and exercise such powers as are prescribed for overseers by any general law of the State, and then directs that he shall also perform such duties in relation to the poor as the Board of Aldermen may by ordinance direct. This section clearly authorizes the duties of the overseer as to the poor to be prescribed by the ordinance of your board, and section 24, paragraph 16, authorizes your board to pass, alter and repeal ordinances for such purposes as the charter authorizes to be done by your ordinance; and further stating that in his opinion, these provisions are abundantly broad to enable you to prescribe the duties of the overseer, and among other things, to declare what monies he shall expend, and in what

manner he shall expend it. Sections 34, 97 and 99 of the charter clearly indicate that almshouses and hospitals and their inmates are to be under the control of the Board of Police Comissioners, and so far as the poor are provided for in the institutions they are beyond the cognizance of the Board of Aldermen, but the poor who need only temporary relief in their own houses or elsewhere, are plainly to be cared for by the overseer of the poor, under the provisions of the general law and city ordinance. The funds necessary to enable the overseer to perform such duties as may pertain to his office are to be fixed by the Board of Finance and Taxation, under section 129 after considering the estimates of the Board of Aldermen, and are to be expended in accordance with the directions of the ordinance of said board.

The opinion was received and ordered filed.

(Alderman Holden appeared and took his seat.)

A communication from B. Van Keuren, Street Commissioner, calling the attention of the Board to the unnecessary obstruction of the street crossings in different parts of the city, caused by the trains of the New Jersey Railroad Company, more particularly at the intersection of Greene, Warren and Washington streets, was presented, received, and referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

The city clerk presented reports of publication of notices of the expiration, May 4, 1871 of time allowed by law for the redemption of lands sold May 4, 1869, by the former city of Hudson, for unpaid water rents and assessments; and May 24, 1871, of time allowed by law for the redemption of land sold May 24, 1869, by the former City of Bergen, for unpaid assessments.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Alderman Smith, from the committee on laws and ordinances, presented the following entitled ordinances, and the same were received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the board, viz:

An ordinance to prohibit the destruction or molestation of birds within the limits of Jersey City.

An ordinance concerning snow and ice, and prohibiting the sprinkling of salt or other injurious matter, upon the public streets of Jersey City.

An ordinance to regulate the running of locomotives and horse cars through or across the streets of Jersey City.

An ordinance regulating the driving of cattle through the streets of Jersey City.

An ordinance relative to bathing and indecent exposure.

An ordinance relating to privies, sinks, and cesspools.

An ordinance to prescribe the duties of the Overseer of the Poor.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolutions, on applications heretofore referred to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license be granted to Thomas Roche to keep a restaurant at 13 North Fifth street, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Patrick Donahue to keep a restaurant at northeast corner Hudson avenue and White street, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Patrick Caughlin to keep a restaurant at White street, near Hudson avenue, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John O'Rourke to keep a restaurant at Colden place, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Adam Freund to keep a restaurant at 248 South Eighth street, in the Third District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Henry J. Callo to keep a restaurant at 278 Newark avenue, in the Third District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Patrick Sullivan to keep a restaurant at West St. Paul's, near Bergenwood avenue, in the Fourth District.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred June 27, 1871, the petition of Theodore Gubelman for permission to place showcase in front of No. 79 Newark avenue, presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted, during the pleasure of the board, to Theo. Gubelman to place a show case in front of his place of business, No. 79 Newark avenue. The report was received and the resolution adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows;

H. Bruns, $19 90.

Referred to committee on alms.

Jersey City Gas Light Company, $45 88.

Referred to committee on baths and armories.

Robert Harriott, $17.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Jersey City Gas Light Company, $182 03; J. W. Harrison, $141 36.

Referred to committee on stationery and supplies for City Hall.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted.

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of the following named, for salaries for July, 1871, when due, viz: John E. Scott, city clerk, $333 34; S. D. Ellis, marshal, $83 34; James H. Love, collector, $291 67; Russel G. Dudley, overseer of the poor, $83 34.

By Alderman Mandeville, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on baths and armories are hereby authorized to lease from W. B. Shafer, for the sum of one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($1,750), for one year commencing May 1, 1871, the large room on the fourth floor, and two rear rooms, and room at present occupied by E Company on third floor of building 27 and 29 Newark avenue, to be used as a drill and meeting rooms for the regular militia authorized by the State; and that the city attorney be instructed to draw said lease under the direction of said committee; and when executed by W. B. Shafer, to be executed by the Mayor and city clerk on the part of the city under its corporate seal, and filed in the city clerk's office.

By Alderman Joyce, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby requested to abate nuisance caused by stagnant water located between South Second and South Third streets, in block 52, which is detrimental to the health of the residents in said locality.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance presented on the 5th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

An ordinance in relation to the sidewalks, public grounds and streets in Jersey City.

The ordinance was considered.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the third section was amended by inserting after words "seven feet in streets of sixty feet wide" the words "nor more than six feet in streets of less width."

The ordinance as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented on the 5th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

An ordinance for the relief of Moses K. Kellam, in construction of bow window in building southeast corner of Wayne street and Jersey avenue.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented on the 5th instant, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

An ordinance amendatory to an ordinance entitled "An ordinance in relation to purchasing and selling junk, old rope, &c." passed June 6, 1871.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance presented on the 5th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

An ordinance to prevent the carrying of loaded or concealed weapons within the limits of Jersey City.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance presented on the 5th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance respecting dogs."

The ordinance was considered.

On motion of Alderman Wandle, the fourth and fifth sections were amended by inserting between the words "wire" and "muzzle" the words "or leather."

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nay—None.

By Alderman Joyce, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to erect a lamp on the southeast corner of Steuben and Prospect streets, the same being much needed on said corner.

By Alderman Joyce, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Finance and Taxation are hereby requested to strike from the annual estimate of this board the sum of $10,000 for removal of ashes and garbage, and add to the estimate of the Board of Public Works the sum of $5 000 for a like purpose, provided the Board of Public Works agree to properly perform the work for said last named amount.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the board then adjourned. JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, August 1, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Alderman Holden was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Alderman Edwards.

The minutes of regular meeting of July 18, 1871, were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation from the Delaware Lackawanna and Western Railroad Co., by Samuel Sloan, President, to excursion to Water Gap, on Friday, the 4th inst, starting from Hoboken on special train at 8:15 A. M.

Accepted, on motion of Alderman Smith, and thanks ordered returned by the city clerk.

Invitation from the Jersey Schutzen Corps to attend ninth Schutzen Festival, at Mount Pleasant Park on 8th, 9th and 10th instants.

Accepted, on motion of Aldermen Reardon, and thanks ordered returned by the city clerk.

Petition of officers of G. Van Houten, Post No. 3, G. A. R., for permission to run a line of stages Wednesday, the 2d inst., from corner West Grand street and Monticello avenue to Glendale Pavilion, on occasion of pic-nic.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of the Jersey City Sportsman's Club for permission to hold a shooting tournament at Gilmore's Farm, bordering on the Hackensack river, on the 15th inst.

Granted on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Petitions of John M. Schrech and W. G. Lange, for remission of restaurant license fees paid in January, 1871, the licenses for which expired July 1, 1871.

Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

Remonstrance of W. B. Clayton and others, against the granting of a license to any person to sell liquor on Monmouth street, between South Fourth and South Fifth streets.

Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

Petition of James McCormac, that a restaurant license may not be granted to Patrick Lee at No. 22 Essex street, unless granted in the name of McCormac & Lee.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

FOR INN AND TAVERN LICENSES.

Lyman Fish, 15, 17 and 19 Exchange place, Taylor's Hotel, First District; Elizabeth S. Rae, 115 Hudson st., First District; Otto Meyer, 6 8 and 10 Exchange place, First District; Thomas Gross, cor. Hudson and Grand sts., First District; Chester M. Hager, Hoboken near Palisade avenue., Fifth District; John Allen, cor. Newark ave. and City Hall place, Fifth District; D. H. Sherman & Co., Bay Shore House, Bay st., Sixth District.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

First District—Peter Hermann, 133 Montgomery st.; John Adelung, 48 Warren st.; F. N. Kellers, 84 Greene st.; B. Kellers, 33 Sussex st.; John F. Randolph, 49 Newark ave.; Patrick Lee, 24 Essex st.; Jacob N. Worster, 15 Montgomery st.; James Quigley, cor. Warren and Essex sts.; Frank Hiltensperger, 193 Henderson st.; Jurgon H. Adelung, 66 Warren st.; Francis Masterson, 61 Washington st.; James Caffrey, 207 Grand st.; William Mailly, 23 Montgomery st.; Thomas Scott, 135 Greene st.; Wm. Gross, corner of Hudson and Sussex st.; Alexander Fallon, 36 Morris st.; Henry Meyer, junction of York and Gregory st.; Henry Dohrmann, 211 Grove st.; Matthew Doyle, 33 Montgomery st.; F. B. Roche, 16 Sussex st.; Charles T. Lange, 17 Newark ave.; Diedrich Stegman, 2 and 4 Exchange place; Wm. Reilly, 100 Essex st.; Alexander Grant, cor. York and Washington sts.; O. Richardson & Bro., 127 Hudson st.; Michael Doyle, 45 York st; Thomas Kelly, southeast cor. of Hudson and Morris sts.; Thomas Kelly, southeast cor. of York and Hudson sts.; Patrick Colahan, 39 Morris st.; John J. Grogan, cor. of Morris and Greene st.; Martin Sethman, 11 Sussex st.; James Gorman, 153 Warren st.; A. Hardekopf, 131 Montgomery st.; E. C. Dickinson & Bro., 90 Montgmery st.; Wm. McCormack, 114 Essex st; T. D. Cowan, 189 Henderson st.; Edmond McGunness, 161 Newark ave.; George Schumann & Co., 134 Washington st.; McGhee & DeRancey, cor. Montgomery and Washington st.; Bernard Delany, 13 Montgomery st.; Thomas Donnelly, 17 Sussex st.; Thomas Lenahan, 115 Morris st; Diedrich Heisteributtel, 49 Warren st.; Bernard Harney, 48 Newark ave.; Hermann Meyer, cor. Warren and Mercer sts.; George Luhrman, cor. Washington and Essex sts.; Luhrman and Offermann, cor. Greene and Essex sts.; W. B. Shafer, 27 and 29 Newark ave.; Goetze & Landmesser, 33 Newark ave.; William Weigers, 69 Washington st.; Wm. H. Nafew & Son, 5 Exchange place; C. S. Fox, 28 Montgomery st.; John Smith, 135 Hudson st.; Meschutt & Akley, 100 Montgomery st.; John C. Allen, 147 Hudson st.; John J. Morris, 117 Newark ave.; Crowley & Garretson, 141 Warren st.; Frank Wahlen, 116 Morris st.; Magdelena Bertsch, 182 Montgomery st.; J. H. Dowd, 184 Montgomery st.; John T. Dunn, 123 Montgomery st.; Philip Lind, 61 Newark ave.; W. J. Montgomery, 54 York st.; John Smith, 127 Hudson st.; A. Craw & Co., New Jersey Railroad depot; James Marroner, 7 Grand st.; William H. Gallagher, 159 Greene st.; Charles Murnin 201 Grand st.; Patrick Rogan, 87 Hudson st.;

Second District—Alexander Robertson, 108 Steuben st.; Ernst Wildhagen, 136 Pavonia ave.; Gustav Raisch, cor. North Fifth and Grove sts.; Diedrich Muller, 50 Pavonia ave.; James Deahy, South Eighth, near Greene st.; Gilbert Gannon, cor. Wayne and Colgate sts.; John Moran, West Grand st., near Mill creek; Valentine Mattel, 257 Railroad ave.; Patrick Gorman, 197 Greene st.; Herman Otersen, cor. North Second and Provost st; John McLaughlin, 203 Provost st.; Christopher Connolly, 375 South Eighth st.; James Flanigan, southwest cor. Jersey ave. and North Third st.; Edward Casserly, 181 North Sixth st.; Henry Hunstein, 244 Railroad ave; John Harper, 162 Prospect st.; Mrs. Eliza Hart, cor. South Second st and Newark ave.; George Hircher, 192 Pavonia ave.; James Malloy, Colden place, opposite Library Hall; David C. Joyce, 127 Morgan st.; James Nolan 18 Provost st; Conrad Stier, 280 Wayne st.; Thomas Foster, 317 Newark ave.; John Hersch, 247 Newark ave.; Michael Dougherty, 18 Prospect st.; Michael Murphy, 145 Morgan st,; Patrick Tracey, 460 South Eighth st.; Daniel Looney, 206 Prospect st.; James Smyth, 137 Steuben st.; Henry Convery, junction of Palisade and Communipaw ave. and Bergen Point plankroad; Charles Peterson, 20 Prospect st.; Thomas Conroy, 362 South Seventh st.; Sophia Smith, corner South Eighth and Prior sts.; John Fleming, North Second street, between Jersey ave. and Erie st.; John Griffin, corner North Fourth and Coles st.; Curtis Jennings, cottage under the cliff, foot of hill; Peter Sturch, 21 Brunswick street; Engelbert Neuriter, corner Grand and State sts; P. McPhilips, corner Erie and North Fifth sts; John Doyle, 272 North Third st.; Thomas Tynan, 128 Morgan st.; Michael Grady, 445 Grove st.; Michael Voeller, 42 Prospect st.; Matthew Sullivan, 58 Monmouth st.; Henry Sierers, 152 Prospect st.; Hugh O'Reilly, 267 Newark ave.; James Harper, 298 Wayne st.; James Harper, 362 Wayne st.; George Scheitz, 273 Wayne st.; Peter A. Smith; 355 South Seventh st; Patrick Manning, Cornelison, near Hudson ave.; Francis Macklin, southwest corner Morgan and Warren sts.; Frederick A. Seitz, corner North First and Monmouth sts.; Benjamin J. F. Roberts, 218 Prospect st.; Philip Reilly, 398 South Eighth st.; Miss Ellen Conway, 363 South Eighth st.; Joseph Bauer, 151 Steuben st; Max Dorn, 23 Brunswick st.; John Ruby, 227 Railroad ave.; Mrs. Maria Wall, 177 Washington st.; James Kelly, Grand, near Barrow st.; James Murphy, cor. Grove st. and Pavonia ave.; Patrick Hayden, 73 North First st.; Patrick Hayden, 21 Pavonia ave.; Diederich Schroeder, 289 Newark ave.; Michael McGrath, cor. South Eighth and Greene sts.; John Hanley, 396 South Eighth st.; Thomas Long, 177 Warren st; John Maloney, 222 Prospect st.; Louis Henry, 271 Wayne st.; John Mills, Newark ave., near foot of hill; David Bary, 19 North Fifth st.; Daniel Thorpy, 144 North First st.; Michael Kain, Provost st, bet. North First st. and Pavonia ave.; Michael Egan, 286 North Third st.; John Falahee, 241 Prospect st.; Peter Shertel, 301 Newark ave.; John O'Beirne, 4 Prospect st.; John Cortigan, 374 South Seventh st; Alexander McCay, Grand, near Merseles st.; Terrence Beggen, 269 Railroad ave., Henry Beckmeyer, 201 Warren st.; John McBride, Westervelt st., near Mill road Michael Sproulls, 318 Wayne st.; John Carmody, 141 North First st.; James O'Reilly, 128 Pavonia ve.;a

Patrick Malone, 111 Morgan street; Stephen McCarthy, North Seventh, bet. Prospect and Provost sts.; Schumann & Nerbihal, Mount Pleasant Park; James Webber, 114 Washington st.; Henry Van Oesen, 104 Pavonia ave.; Patrick Kelly, 446 South Eighth st.; Henry Hunecke, cor. Provost and North Third sts.; Mrs. M. Carroll 124 Steuben st.; George Luhn, 147 Morgan st.; Patrick McLean, cor. Steuben and Washington sts.; Mrs. Margaret Corcoran, 342 South Sixth st.; Thomas Buckley, 243 Prospect st.; Michael Desmot, 217 Prospect st.

Third District—John Jennings. 54 Monmouth st.; Chas. Baechler, 307 Grove st.; Michael Holmes, 363 South Second st.; Anton Hilbers, 364 South Second st.; L. Johnson & Son, 332 Grove st.; Owen O'Keef, 164 Morgan st.; Louis Mohl, Jr., 300 Newark ave.; Thomas Dwyer, 33 Prospect st.; Daniel Cleary, cor. Grove and Bay sts.; Joseph Colgan, cor. Grove and South Fourth sts.; Anton Reuter, 180 Newark ave.; John Harper, 91 Prospect st.; John Pelloth, 311 Coles st.; Ernest C. Fackert, 39 Coles st.; Julius Kahl, cor. Railroad ave. and Prospect st.; J. P Schutz, 368 Grove st.; Anton Hoefer, 299 South Eighth st.; John Stiele, 364 South Sixth st; George Shuvera, 298 Newark ave.; Nicholas Hellmer, 121 Erie st.; Patrick Touer, 71 Prospect st.; Charles Schuetz, 267 Railroad ave.; Sievers & Burch, 213 Railroad ave,; Rudolph Sailer, 157 Newark ave.; Mrs. S. Fielding, cor. of Grove st. and Newark ave.; Thos. O'Conner, 212 Railroad ave.; Patrick McCormick, 222 Grove st.; Michael Giblen, 294 Newark ave.; Michael O'Hara, 53 Prospect st.; F. Grenimelman, cor. of South First and Grove sts.; Carpus Werder, 283 Newark ave.; S. R. Winfield, 238 Newark ave.; Matthew Gorman, 239 Newark ave.; Michael Dooley, 317 Grove st.; Henry Cros, 231 Railroad ave.; Theo. Frank, 182 Newark ave.; H. W. Harms, cor. of South Second and Coles st.; Ferdinand Stelling, 93 Coles st.; Patrick Hayden, 165 Prospect st.; John Harms, cor. of South Second and Brunswick st.; Patrick O'Connell, cor. South Third and Coles sts.; Christopher Trautz, 302 Newark ave.; Peter Kappes, 294 Grove st; Bernhard Meissner, 186 Newark ave.; John True, cor of Monmouth and South Second sts.; James Kelly, 165 Morgan street; George H. Siegenthaler, 151 Jersey ave.; John L Rittenhouse, 164 Newark ave.; James Baxter, 222 Newark ave.; Mich'l Grobho'z, 70 Railroad ave.; John Corrigan, 197 Newark ave.; George Titus, 177 Newark ave.; Henry Rollfs, 107 Coles st.; F. O'Reilly, 319 South Eighth st.; Jacob Siemore, 274 Newark ave.

Fourth District.—John Leitz, Beacon ave. near Montgomery ave.; Henry Voth, Washington ave. bet. Ferry and Franklin sts.; William Driscoll, cor. Newark ave. and Rose Terrace; Louis Schiede, Bergen ave. bet. Griffith and Hutton sts.; John Schuhardt, West Newark ave near Prospect Reserve; Senez Noppel, Beacon near Montgomery ave.; Edward Wrede, cor. Franklin st. and Washington ave.; Valentine Feldmeyer, n.e. cor Montgomery and Madison aves.; Anton Schick, cor. Bergenwood and Clinton aves.; William Horst, Montgomery ave. near South st.; Frederick Albanesius, cor. Grand and Highland aves.; Louis Eigenranch, cor. Clerk ave. and Van Vorst st.; John O'Donnell, cor. Montgomery and Beacon aves; James Burke, Hoboken near Palisade ave.; Joseph Hart, Germania near Grand ave.; Henry Bock, West St. Paul's and Tonnele aves.; Gustav Hildebrand, cor. Bergenwood and Highland aves.; William Dietrich, 28 Newark st.; Charles Vollers, Grand ave. and South st.; George Schutz, Jackson st., near Montgomery ave.; Mrs. Elenor Rasrich, Paterson Plankroad House; William Munzing, West Newark ave, near Five Corners; John F. Schnafer, Beacon ave., between Montgomery and Bergenwood aves; Louis Kirsten, Scott st., between Summit and Grand aves.; John Hamlin, cor. South st. and Palisade ave; Michael McDonough, Beacon, near Oakland ave.; Frederick Becker, Palisade ave., bet. Hutton and Griffith sts.; John Schirens, cor. Broad st, and Palisade ave.; J. H. Fink, cor. Clinton ave. and Griffith st.; Nicholas Fraham, southwest cor. Palisade ave. and Broad st.; Michael Hoy, Madison, near Oakland ave.; C. Wittpenn & Co., 121 Beacon ave.; Catharine Disque, Paterson plankroad, near toll gate; F. W. Knolland, cor. Summit ave. and Scott st; John Haughay, cor. Warren st. and Clinton av.; John Bott, Newark ave., near Marion depot, N. J. R. R., Herman Fietzin, cor. Summit ave. and Zabriskie st.; Martin Welsh, Newark, near Tonnele ave.; John Prigge, cor. Bergen ave. and Jackson st; Henry Suffel, Clinton ave., near Franklin st.; William Madden, St. Paul's, near Bergen ave.; C. Kenneke, cor. Clinton ave. and Franklin st.; Edward Hoeun, Bergenwood, near Beacon ave.; Philip J. Ditmar, southeast cor. Hudson and Broad sts.; Henry Goedecker, cor. Pierce ave. and Paterson st.; Barnwell Sweetingham, Thorne st., near Summit ave.; Henry Bahr, cor. Mandeville st. and Summit ave.; Joseph Fillweber, Newark ave., near Prospect reserve; John Feiler. Palisade ave., bet. Ferry and Franklin sts.; John Wagner, near Five Corners, on West Newark ave.; G. H. Grauer, Pierce ave., cor. Paterson st.; Leopold Haungs, Pierce ave., cor. Warren st.; Philip Adelman, Montgomery ave.; John J. Brunbach, cor. South st. and Passaic ave.; Stephen Kessler, South st., bet. Summit and Grand aves.; Martin Tietgen, Montgomery ave. and Grove st.; George Schade, 7 Jackson st.; A. B. Cosgrove, West Newark ave., opposite Rose Terrace; Louis Wicht, Montrose, near Manhattan ave.; F. A. Boehme, Germania ave.; John Leigh, 219 West Warren st.; Peter Schroder, cor. Newark and Grand aves.; John Zimkley, cor. Montrose ave. and Beach st.; J. H. Fetchtenmuller, Paterson st., near Passaic ave.; B. H. Lulken, cor. Jefferson and Oakland aves,; H. P. Bruggeman, cor. Summit ave. and Grove st.; Michael Murphy, cor. Jay st. and Rose Terrace; J. H. Van Ogen, cor. Montgomery and Madison aves.; Henry Strothman, cor. Madison and Oakland aves.; Andrew Scanlan, Colden st., bet. Bergenwood and Summit aves.; Hugh O'Johnson, southeast cor. Oakland and Beacon aves.; William Goh, 100 Beacon ave, Mrs. Mary Seipher, Beacon ave., bet. Montgomery and Oakland aves.; Christopher Kahrhoff, Montgomery, bet. Newark and South sts.; Peter Diller, cor. Germania and Bella Vista aves,; John Creegan, Madison, near Oakland ave.; Henry Klein, West St. Paul's, near Tonnele ave.; F. C. Bubser, Palisade ave., near Franklin st.; Christian A. Schmidt, Zabriskie st., bet. Summit and Grand ave; Adam Bub, n. w. cor. Broad st. and Hudson ave; John McKiernan, cor. Madison and Bergenwood aves; Louis Dieters. Humboldt st. near Columbia ave; Jacob Iseli, Palisade ave, bet. Franklin and Ferry sts.; Mrs. Walsch, Franklin st., near Clerk ave; William Fuchs cor. Franklin st. and Clerk ave; John Kuhlmann, Thorne st., near Summit ave; John Wies, Colden st. and Clerk ave; W. H. Van Ogen, cor. Hutton and Clinton sts; Steinberger & Miller, cor. Palisade ave. and Griffith st; Francis Bolland, Grace st. bet. Summit and Montgomery ave; F. C. Gillins, Thorne st. bet. Summit and Grand aves; John Hollowegs & Bro., cor. Peirce ave. and South st; Charles H. Fitzpatrick, Beacon, bet. Montgomery and Bergenwood ave; John H. Schone, cor. Bergen ave. and Griffith st; Mathias Henn, Bergen ave., bet. Colden and Griffith sts; Charles H. Mayer, cor. Broad st. and Mountain road; P. & H. Tiedermann, Tonnele ave. near County road; John Brummer, cor. Summit ave. and Paterson st.; Hugh Curley, Beacon, near Bergenwood ave; Henry Keinkamp, Mannion ave., near Newark st; John Berghoefer, 13 Jackson st; William Bennken, Oakland, near Madison ave; Andrew Mannion, cor. Grand and Newark aves; C. F. Erhard, South st., near Summit ave; Edward Ritz, Palisade ave; Felix M. Puget, cor. Franklin st. and Montgomery ave.; Charles Kohlhund, cor. West St. Paul's ave. and Second st.; Anna Tinka, Bergen ave, bet. Hutton and Griffith sts.; Diederich Langerwich, Clinton ave., near Franklin st.; Wm. Aukamp, cor. Colden st. and Clerk ave; Christian Helms, cor. Bergen ave. and Hutton st.; Jacob Klein, First st., near West St. Paul's ave.; Margaret Fahl, northwest cor. Montgomery ave. and Newark st.; George Keogh, West Newark, near Tonnele ave.; Jacob Goodmiller, Franklin st.; Wm J. Taylor, cor. Beacon and Columbia aves; Wm. Wagoner, cor. Scott st. and Union place; John Heslin, Bergenwood ave., near Reservoir lane; Martin Besquett, Madison, near Oakland ave.; John Farrington, 430 Palisade ave.; Conrad Stock, Beacon, near Bergenwood ave.; Adam Siegfried cor. Clinton and South sts.; Anton Senten, Franklin ave., bet. Palisade ave. and Clinton st.; Wm. Ording, cor. Newark ave. and Rose terrace; Henry H. Stehn, cor. Palisade ave. and Liberty st.; Samuel Wright, Madison, near Palisade ave.; Chas. F. Hoberg, Palisade ave., bet. Franklin and Hutton sts.; Wm Schemmer, cor. Palisade ave. and Cedar st.; Charles Brauer, Sixth st., near West St. Paul's ave.; Thomas Ratigan, Beacon ave., bet. Oakland ave. and Columbia st; Carston Fiedemann, South st., near Clinton st.; George R. Steirly, Newark ave., op. Frazer place; Claus Meyer, cor. Warren st. and

Summit ave.; John Eller, Palisade ave., bet Ferry and Franklin sts.; William White, Beacon, bet. Oakland and Columbia aves. Joseph Berger, Palisade ave., near Broad st.; William McCleary, northwest cor. Bergenwood and West Newark aves.; Catherine Le Grand, cor. Bergenwood ave. and Mandeville st.; Jacob Shobus, Newark ave., near Bleeker st.; John Engel, Madison ave., bet. Columbia and Oakland aves.; John Brestenstein, Palisade ave., bet. Ferry and Franklin sts.

Fifth District.—Thomas Boothroyd, Academy st., cor. Front st.; John McCarthy, cor, Newark ave and McPherson lane; Michael Blewitt, Newark plankroad, near Bergen ave.; Thomas Taff, Westview, near Westside ave.; John N. Sanders, cor. Bergen and Hudson aves.; Jacob Weber, Grand st., near Monticello ave.; James Conner, Monticello ave., near Emory st.; William Hepsley, Washington ave., near Palisade ave.; William Cummings, Grand st., near Monticello ave.; J. F. Mahnken, Grand st., opposite Jackson ave.; Patrick H. Cosgrove, cor. Bergen st. and Palisade ave.; L. A. Standinger, Newark ave., near City Hall place; Matthew Costello, Newark ave., opposite Court House; Mrs. Wm. Perry, City Hall place, near Hoboken ave.; Charles Denniston, cor. Montgomery and Orchard sts.; H. Jackens, cor. Monticello and Bowden aves.; E. Dreyer, cor. Palisade ave. and Vroom st.; Charles Dohler, City Hall place, near Hoboken ave.; Henry Busch, Montgomery st., near Tuers ave.; Ferdinand Heintze, southwest cor. City Hall place and Hoboken ave.; Gustav Kuerzel, cor. Hoboken ave. and City Hall place; Frank A. Kohlland, Hoboken ave., near Five Corners; Hugh Flynn, Tuers ave., bet. Montgomery and Church sts.; Martin May, cor. Bowden and Monticello aves.; Bernhard Simon, Hoboken ave., near City Hall place; J. J. Gaffney, Newark ave., bet. Willow Court and Five Corners; Jacob Frank, Hoboken, near Palisade ave; George A. Farrant, cor. St. Paul's and Bergenwood aves.; P. N. Schroeder, Chestnut st. and Newark ave.; Patrick Foley, Bergenwood near Hoboken ave.; Michael Donnelly, Newark ave. near Court House; August Henning, Cook st, near Hoboken ave.; Joseph Flugauf, Hoboken ave., near Five Corners.

Sixth District.—James Donohue, Bergen Point pl'rd, near Communipaw ave.; John Dunn, Bergen Point pl'rd, near Carteret ave.; John Kerrigan, Grove st., near Jackson ave.; John O'Brien, 234 Wayne st.; John Laucks, 238 Wayne st.; John Kaiser, Bergen Point pl'rd, near Communipaw ave.; John Conner, Bergen Point pl'rd, near Communipaw ave.; Philip Nesbinal, 229 Railroad ave.; William Murphy, Bay st, near Communipaw ave.; Geo. H. Seigenthaler, cor. Jersey and Railroad aves.; Christian Kaiser, cor. Walnut and Whiton sts.; Michael Fay, Grove st., near Jackson ave.; Patrick Murphy 242 Wayne st.; Wendell Green, southwest cor. Ocean ave., and Union st.. Patrick H. Tealing, cor. Grand and Sackett sts.; Martin Doyle, 230 Wayne st., Henry Mades, 241 Wayne st.; Jacob Zimmerlee, 207 Railroad ave.; Robert Busher, Bay st.; Patrick Clarke, Pine st., bet. Maple and Walnut sts.; James Baker, Newark pl'rd, Hackensack bridge; Thomas Bishop, Bergen Point pl'rd, near Grand st.; Christiana Meyer, West Grand st., near Bergen ave.; Frederick Lerche, Ocean, near Myrtle ave.; James F. Keenan, Bergen Point pl'rd, oppo. Sherman st.; Joseph Casper, Forrest st., near Ocean ave; George Lusch, Communipaw ave., near Ocean ave.; Bernard McCourt, junction Ocean ave. and Grand st.; James Conheeny, Walnut, near Halladay st.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of John Higgins and others, for removal of stable owned by Thomas Scott, from centre of South Fourth street, 100 feet east of Prospect street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Thomas E. Hewitt, for permission to erect a sign across sidewalk in front of building No. 62 Montgomery street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of M. Gavigan, for permission to erect a sign across sidewalk in front of store 328 Grove street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of D. Bogert, for a license to vend merchandise, excepting meat, fish, &c.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

FOR JUNKSHOP LICENSES.

John Mangon, Reservoir lane near Bergenwood ave., 4th dist.; George Hausche, Reservoir lane, 4th dist.; David Harper, 377 South Sixth st., 2d dist.; James Collins, southwest cor South Fourth and Brunswick sts., 2d dist.; James Callahan, Reservoir lane, 4th dist.; James Callahan, Reservoir lane, 4th dist.; Nicholas Ehrgott, 257 Railroad ave., 2d dist.; Peter McElroy, 315 Railroad ave., 2d dist.; Patrick McCabe, 356 Wayne st., 2d dist.; James Golden, 31 Brunswick st., 2d dist.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of Moses Boyce, Henry Geayer, William D. Skeens, Pat. Mulvey, Michael Kennedy, William Powley, Matthew McNierney, John Glenn, James Coulter, James Bell, Otis Shaver and Jacob Christman, for licenses to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees, in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz.:

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. W. Harrison, for one hundred and forty-one dollars and thirty six cents for stationery for city offices.

By committee on baths and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasuer in favor of the Jersey City Gas Light Co. for forty-five dollars and eighty-eight cents for gas consumed in City Armory from April 1 to July 1, 1871.

By committee on nuisances:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Robert Harriot for seventeen dollars for destroying dogs.

The resolutions were adopted.

A claim of the Jersey City Gas Light Co., $182 03, for gas for City Hall, referred to the committee on stationery and supplies July 18, 1871, was returned by said committee and referred to the Board of Public Works.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication was presented from the clerk of the Board of Public Works, submitting a copy of a resolution adopted on the 1st inst., referring to Board of Aldermen "to be acted on as they may deem proper." A petition from Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for use of Aldermanic Chamber in City Hall for meetings.

The communication was received, and with the petition ordered filed.

The City Clerk presented reports of the approval by His Honor the Mayor, July 19 and July 21, 1871, of ordinances passed July 18, 1871, for relief of Moses K. Kellam in construction of bow window corner of Wayne street and Jersey avenue; respecting dogs; prevent carrying of loaded or concealed weapons; amendatory to junk, old rope, &c.; relative to sidewalks, public grounds and streets in Jersey City.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Alderman Smith, from the committee on laws and ordinances, verbally reported the following entitled ordinances, and the same were received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the board:

"An ordinance to re-enact and to amend certain ordinances heretofore passed and to extend their provisions over the limits of the city of Jersey City as at present constituted."

"An ordinance concerning the appointment of a scholarship in Columbia College, New York."

"An ordinance declaring nuisances and providing for their abatement."

"An ordinance prescribing penalties."

The committee on laws and ordinances, to whom was referred July 18, 1871, the communication from B. Van Keuren, street commissioner, calling attention to obstructions of street crossings by trains of New Jersey Railroad, presented a report thereon, setting forth that the subject matter of said communication is covered by ordinance regulating the running of locomotives, &c., presented July 18, 1871.

The report was received and ordered filed.

The committee on laws and ordinances, to whom was referred July 18, 1871, the petition of David Harper and others, junk dealers, for relief in payment of license fees in April, 1871, the law making said licenses expire July 1, 1871, presented an adverse report thereon.

The report was received and adopted.

The committee on laws and ordinances, to whom was referred July 18, 1871, the petition of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for use of

Aldermanic Chamber for meetings, presented a favorable report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That until the further order of this board, the use of the Aldermanic Chamber, on every Friday evening, is hereby granted to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for meetings of said society.

The report was received and resolution adopted.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license be granted to Tobias Martini to keep a restaurant at Summit avenue, corner Thorne street, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John P. Reinhardt to keep a restaurant at corner Franklin street and Bergen avenue, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Charles Boedecker to keep a restaurant at southeast corner Paterson street and Passaic avenue, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John Convery to keep a restaurant at Pine street, near Lafayette street, in the Sixth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Owen McCue to keep a restaurant at corner Grove and Morgan streets, in the Third District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to James Grimes to keep a restaurant at corner of South Third and Prospect streets, in the Third District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Michael Moore to keep a restaurant at 323 Newark avenue, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Michael Murtagh to keep a restaurant at 5.6 Grove street, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to George Harriot to keep a restaurant at 221 Provost street, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Thomas Gorman to keep a restaurant at 302 Prospect street, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Christopher Gibbons to keep a restaurant at 138 Pavonia avenue, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Peter Conners to keep a restaurant at corner Mercer and Putnam streets, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Patrick Byrne to keep a restaurant at corner Mercer and Colgate streets, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Michael O'Keeffe to keep a restaurant at 129 Morgan street, in the Second District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Cooper Bros. to keep a restaurant at 11 Exchange place, in the First District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Louis Heller to keep a restaurant at 109 Montgomery street, in the First District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John C. Hopkins, Jr., to keep a restaurant at 22 Exchange place, in the First District,

Resolved, That a license be granted to John C. Hopkins & Co. to keep a restaurant at 40 Montgomery street, in the First District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Henry Rollfs to keep a restaurant at Palisade avenue, corner Franklin street, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John Barr to keep a restaurant at corner Newark avenue and Bleecker street, in the Fourth District

Resolved, That a license be granted to Christian Kratz to keep a restaurant at Paterson street, near Summit avenue, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John Hoersche to keep a restaurant at West St. Paul's avenue, corner Fourth street, in the Fourth District.

Resolved That a license be granted to Marcus Martins to keep a restaurant at corner of Franklin street and Montgomery avenue, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Robert Blewitt to keep a restaurant at Grand street near Jackson avenue, in the Fifth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Wm. Cooke to keep a restaurant at corner of Academy street and Washington place, in the Fifth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Edward J. Fitzsimmons to keep a restaurant at corner of Church street and Water avenue, in the Fifth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Thomas C. Scott, to keep a restaurant at Newark avenue and Five Corners, in the Fifth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Adam Bender to keep a restaurant at Bergen Point plr'd and opposite Bramhall avenue, in the Sixth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Robt. Ferguson to keep a restaurant at Bergen Point plr'd near Newark and New York Railroad, in the Sixth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Patrick Anglesey to keep a restaurant at 301 Grand street, in the Sixth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to S. Goehner to keep a restaurant at Bergen avenue near Columbia street, in the Sixth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Joseph Schullian to keep a restaurant at 5 Grove street, in the Sixth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Patrick J. Foley to keep a restaurant at 312 South Seventh street, in the Third District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John Hart to keep a restaurant at 214 Railroad avenue, in the Third District

Resolved, That a license be granted to Henry Behnken to keep a restaurant at corner Franklin street and Bergen avenue, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Hermann Bruns to keep a restaurant at Montgomery avenue, corner Scott street, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to L. Tasto to keep a restaurant at corner Jackson street and Montgomery avenue, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Mrs. B. Connelly to keep a restaurant at Madison avenue, between Bergenwood and Montgomery avenues, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John A. Sauer to keep a restaurant at corner Newark avenue and Frazer place, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Patrick McDonough to keep a restaurant at 402 Palisade avenue, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John Bryson to keep a restaurant at corner Montgomery and Beacon avenues, in the Fourth District.

Resolved, That a license be granted to James Reilly to keep a restaurant at Newark pl'rd, near Jackson avenue, in the Sixth District.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenkeen, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

(Alderman Holden appeared and took his seat.)

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Jeremiah D. O'Connell, Peter Nelson, John W. Stringham, Michael Hogan and Patrick Dolan, on their paying the license fees.

The resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Joseph Erhart, Lewis Kieswetter, Lewis C. Alberts, James Tully, George Erhart, Elizabeth Fick, Dennis Douning, Cornelius Maguire, Michael Curran, Charles Fields, John Mulligan, Augustus Christman, John Conklin, Henry Deubert, David Perry, John Ryan, James Garland and Thomas Farrington, on their paying the license fees.

The resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise (than, and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Isaac Freeman and Daniel O'Donnell, on their paying the license fees.

The resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That a license as a city auctioneer be issued by Mayor and city clerk under the corporation seal of the city, to John M Gibson, on his paying the license fee and giving the bond required by law.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, eleven in number.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop, at Beacon avenue near Bergenwood avenue, in the Fourth District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Hugh McDevitt on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop, at No. 244 Charles street, in the Fourth District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Thomas Lynch on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop, at corner of Hudson and Essex streets, in the First District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to Philip White, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop, at No. 151 Bay street, in the Second District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to James Devlin, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at Grace street, between Montgomery and Summit avenue, in the Fourth District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Michael Keenan on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at Beacon avenue, near Oakland avenue, in the Fourth District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to James Tully on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at Walnut street, near Grand avenue, in the Fourth District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Bernard Kaines on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 31 Brunswick street, in the Second District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Thomas Golding on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at Colden street, near Bergen avenue, in the Fourth District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Edward Laurence on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 63 Meadow street, in the Fourth District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Patrick Gallagher on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 163 Prospect street, in the Third District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Edward McEvoy on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 257 Railroad avenue, in the Second District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Peter Ehrgott on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 196 Washington street, in the Second District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Patrick McArdle on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 196 Washington street, in the Second District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to John McPhillips on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at the corner of Hudson and Essex streets, in the First District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Philip White on his paying the license fees.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, eleven in number

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Paul Schober, $93 30; E. Hope, Jr., $33; Breck & Marquart, $27; Lewis & Bliss, $36 50; R. G. Dudley, $4 25; Coykendall Bros., $207 55; John A. Duncan, $271 50; R. G. Dudley, $25 60; A. J. Hall, $25; E. S. Ashley, $39.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of E. S. Ashley, $50; W. B. Shafer, $437 92.

Referred to committee on baths and armories.

Of Robert Harriot, $21.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Of Times Printing Company, $285 60 and $204 50; John H. Lyon, $263.

Referred to committee on printing.

Of Harry Knight & Co., $31 75.

Referred to committee on stationery and supplies.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Wandle, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on alms are hereby authorized to advertise in the official papers for proposals for a contract to furnish two hundred (200) tons of nut coal, gross weight, for distribution to outdoor poor—100 tons in old Jersey City, 50 tons in old Bergen City, and 50 tons in old Hudson City, to be delivered only on the order of the Overseer of the Poor.

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby requested to compel H. S. Pape, the owner or lessee of premises No. 138 Pavonia avenue, to repair the sidewalks fronting said premises.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That the time for receiving applications for licenses to keep inns and taverns and restaurants be extended to the 10th instant, and that on and after said day, the Board of Police Commissioners are hereby requested to promptly enforce the ordinance regulating said business.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinances reported by the committee on laws and ordinances, July 18, 1871, were taken from the table in the order hereinafter named, and were severally read, considered and disposed of as follows:

"An ordinance to prohibit the destruction or molestation of birds within the limits of Jersey City."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

"An ordinance regulating the driving cattle through the streets of Jersey City."

On motion of Alderman Smith, the third section, desiganting streets for driving, was amended by adding the following words: "The driving on Palisade avenue, between Hudson avenue and Academy street, is permitted only until Mill road, where crossed by Montgomery street, is passable."

On motion of Alderman Smith, the fourth section was amended by striking out the words "or Communipaw avenue, through Communipaw avenue, and," where they occur.

On motion of Alderman Holden the sixth section was amended by requiring three drivers to every 50 cattle, and four drivers for any number over 50 and not exceeding 100 cattle.

The ordinance as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Reardon.

"An ordinance relative to bathing and indecent exposures."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nays—None.

"An ordinance relating to privies, sinks and cess pools."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

"An ordinance to prescribe the duties of the Overseer of the Poor."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote,

the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

"An ordinance concerning snow and ice and to prohibit the sprinkling of salt or other injurious matter upon the public streets of Jersey City."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

"An ordinance to regulate the running of locomotives and horse cars through or across the streets of Jersey City."

On motion of Alderman Smith, the fifth section whs amended by inserting after the word "kind" the words "longer than two minutes at one time."

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon. Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting atthe Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, August 15, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Steir and Wandle.

Aldermen Holden and Reardon were absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took their seats.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 1st inst., were approved without reading on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of T. L. Lynch and others for removal of Keeper of the Pound on Van Vorst street, former 11th ward.

Laid upon the table on motion of Alderman Edwards.

Communication from the Emmet Guard, protesting against the action of the Committee on Baths and Armories, in directing them to vacate the City Armory.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Petition of the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company for permission to lay temporary tracks and turnouts in portions of York street, Jersey avenue and Grand street, during the improvement of Grand street.

Referred to Committee on Railroads with power on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Valentine Berkel and others for removal of building from Clinton street between Ferry and Franklin streets, used as a receptacle for dead bodies, dissecting purposes &c.

Referred to Committee on streets.

Petition of Herman Luttgen for permission to erect sign on front of store No. 57 Montgomery street.

Referred to Committee on streets.

Petition of James Douglass for permission to erect a sign across side walk in front of his store No. 8 Prospect street.

Referred to Committee on streets with power, on motion of Alderman Smith.

Communication from the Society for prevention of Cruelty to Animals, returning thanks for use of Aldermanic chamber.

Ordered filed.

Petition of John O'Connor, for remission of fine of $40, imposed by Police Justice Seymour for alleged violation of junk ordinance.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of James Duffy, for remission of fine imposed by Recorder Martindale, for violation of junk ordinance.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company, for permission to lay a single track of iron rails in Van Vorst street, from Montgomery to Grand street, and for permission to remove tracks of said Company from Washington street, between York and Grand streets, and in Grand street between Washington and Van Vorst streets.

Ordered filed.

Application of John J. Wanner, for a license to keep an Inn and Tavern at 9 and 11 Montgomery street, 1st Dist.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

First District.

Samuel Slater, 115 Grove street.
John Behrmann, 18 Morris street.
John Fallon, 19 Sussex street.
James Roche, 81 Newark avenue.
James Donovan, 205 Grand street.
B. J. Fisher, 29 Montgomery street.
William McDonnell, 203 Grand street.
John McKeever, 89 Railroad avenue.
Michael Nugent, 216 Barrow street.
Sophia Zschau, 147 Newark avenue.
Michael Scaffel, 230 Grand street.
James Coughlin, 101 Essex street.
Seimon Bauer, 27 Essex street.
Thomas McCann, 111 Essex street.
John Whitelow, 141 Montgomery street.

Second District.

Leopold Hurst, 265 Railroad avenue.
Alban Weide, corner North 4th and Grove street.
Joseph Gertler, corner South 6th and Brunswick streets.
Bernard Farley, corner North 4th and Erie streets.
Michael H. Carroll, Grove, between North 10th and 11th street.
Michael Hogan, N. W. corner South 8th and Colgate streets.
Andrew McAra, Newark avenue, corner Waldo avenue.
Thomas Flanigan, 180 Erie street.
Allers & Stahmer, corner Erie and North 3d streets.
Allers & Stahmer, corner North 1st and Prospect streets.
Michael Murphy, corner Grand street and Hudson avenue.
Patrick Cronin, 276 North 3d street.
Thomas Reilly, 348 South 8th street.
Patrick Sheehan, 309 Prospect street.
John Purcell, 208 Provost street.
Patrick Dowling, 112 Steuben street.
Patrick Birmingham, 266 Wayne street.
H. W. & F. J. Miller, corner Erie and North 4th streets.
Adam Kachler, 376 Grand street.
Martin Doyle, 329 Railroad avenue.
Mary Mannion, 313 Railroad avenue.
Jeremiah Sullivan, 266 North 3d street.
Christopher Donohue, Mill Road, between Wayne and Academy streets.
Francis Naughton, corner Colden Place and Grand street.
Henry L. Burnemann, 397 Railroad avenue.
J. B. Evans, 240 North 5th street.
Martin Miller, 22 Prospect street.
Wilhelm Walter, Grand street, opposite Washington avenue.
Julius Jarecki, 130 Pavonia avenue.

Third District.

Michael Connelly, 328 South 6th street.
Jacob Seebach, 244 South 8th street.
William Hardekopf, 313 South 6th street.
Henry Castens, 336 Grove street.
Charles Sacke, 144 Newark avenue.
Hugh Boyle, 306 Newark avenue.
John Luhrman & Bro., corner Monmouth and South 6th streets.
John Luhrman, corner Erie and South 6th streets.

Fourth District.

Alban Zankar, corner Newark avenue and James street.
Christian Dammann, 162 Clinton street.
Schmale & Frohuitter, corner West St. Paul's avenue and 5th street.
Philip Moore, corner Paterson street and Montgomery avenue.
John C Batjer, corner Ferry street and Washington avenue.
Mrs. Alu Hall, Bergenwood avenue, corner Jay street.
Charles Kort, 92 Montgomery avenue.
Nicholas Mitchell, Jefferson near Oakland avenue.
Anna Grafelmann, corner Hancock and Warren streets.
John McGinnis, Palisade avenue near Griffith street.
Louis Meyer, corner Montgomery and Jefferson avenue.
Michael Kelly, Bergenwood avenue near 5 Corners.
Claus Prigge, corner Manners avenue and Colden street.
D. Everitt, Madison near Montgomery avenu
R. Rechenbach, corner Van Vorst street and Clerk avenue.
Bryan Smith, corner Bevans and Warren streets.
Philip Miller, corner Clinton avenue and Columbia street.
Michael McCormack, corner Oakland and Beacon avenues.
Charles Quise, Beacon near Montgomery avenue.
David O'Leary, corner Newark avenue and Prospect Reserve.
William Schemmer, Beacon, between Bergenwood and Montgomery avenues.
James F. Baker, corner Washington avenue and Franklin street.
Charles Schauer, Madison avenue between Colden and Griffith streets.
J. H. Seegar, corner Montgomery avenue and Jackson street.
John M. Schuck, corner Ferry street and Palisade avenue.

Fifth District.

Mrs. W. H. Smith, Newark avenue, opposite court house.
James Doran, north east corner Palisade avenue and Academy street.

Otto Cumann, Hoboken avenue, near Cook street.
Peter Conlan, Bergenwood avenue, near 5 Corners.
Richard D. Van Riper, corner Farmount and Bergen avenues.
Henry Stoveken, 200 Newark avenue.
John Crosby, north west corner Palisade and Hoboken avenues.
Adam Wanner, Hoboken, near Bergenwood avenue.
Patrick Wattersen, corner Bergen avenue and Passaic street.
John Eaves. Newark avenue, near 5 Corners.

Sixth District.

Adam Lincks, 197 Railroad avenue.
John Bayer, corner Atlantic street and Ocean avenue.
C. G. Kieling, 73 Grove street.
Phillip Landmesser, 233 Grand street.
John Retger, Newark avenue, between Jackson avenue and Sackett street.
Wiltham & Bro., corner Lafayette and Halladay streets.
H. Wiltham, corner Lafayette and Pine streets.
Fritz Frey, 242 Wayne street.
George Broughton, 16 Colden street.
Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.
Petitions of James McDonald, Samuel Riddle, Dennis Murphy, Henry, Hamilton, Louis Kiesveitter, Patrick Meers, for license to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.
Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.
(Alderman Reardon appeared and took his seat.)

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:
By Committee on Alms;
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer, in favor of E. S. Ashley for thirty-nine dollars for keep of hose for overseer of Poor in June and July, 1871.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of H. Bruns for nineteen dollars and ninety cents for groceries for out door poor.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Breck & Marquart for twenty-seven dollars for meat for out door poor from May 22d, to July 31, 1871.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Coykendall Bros. for two hundred and seven dollars and fifty five cents for groceries for out door poor for July, 1871.
Resolved. That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of R. G. Dudley for twenty-five dollars and 60 cents for monies expended for transportation of paupers.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of R. G. Dudley for four dollars and twenty-five cents for monies expended in moving office furniture, &c.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of John A. Duncan for $271 50 for groceries for out-door poor, from June 8th to July 19, 1871.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Andrew J. Hall for 25 dollars for one set of harness for horse for Overseer of the Poor.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Edward Hope, Jr., for thirty-three dollars for coffins for poor.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Davis & Bliss for $36 50 for groceries for out-door poor, from June 2d to July 29, 1871.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Paul Schober for ninety-three dollars and thirty cents for meat for out-door poor.
By Committee on Baths and Armories—
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasures in favor of E. S. Ashley for fifty dollars for rent of Hall for Co. A, 4th Regiment, for May June and July, 1871.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer for $437 92 for rent of Armory for May, June and July, 1871.
By Committee on Nuisances—
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Robert Harriot for 21 dollars for destroying dogs.
By Committee on Printing—
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of J. H. Lyon for 263 dollars for advertising.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Times Printing Co. for $285.60 for advertising.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Times Printing Co. for $204 50 for Job Printing.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear for $367.50 for advertising ordinances, &c, in Journal.
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear for $94 for printing.
By Committee on Stationery and Supplies:
Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Harry McKnight & Co. for $31.75 for stationery.
The resolutions were adopted.
A claim of Drayton and Durant $133.44 for bread for outdoor poor was presented, referred to the Committee on Alms, subsequently reported correct, and ordered paid.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

The City Clerk presented the reports of the approval by his Honor the Mayor, on the 14th inst., of the ordinances passed on the 1st inst., relative to bathing and indecent exposures, "relating to privies, sinks and cess pools," to prohibit destruction of birds, "to prescribe duties of Overseers of the Poor," regulating driving of cattle, "regulating running of Locomotives and Horse Cars," "concerning snow and ice and salt on streets."
The reports were received and ordered filed.
(Alderman Holden appeared and took his seat.)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Laws and ordinances, to whom was referred on the 1st inst., the remonstrance of W. R. Clayton and others, against the granting of any license to sell liquor on Monmouth street, between South 4th and South 5th streets, presented an adverse report thereon.
The report was received and accepted.
The Committee on Laws and Ordinances to whom were referred on the 1st inst, the petitions of J. M. Schreck and W. G. Lange, for remission of Restaurant license fees paid in January, 1871, the licenses for which expired July 1, 1871, presented an adverse report thereon.
The report was received and accepted.
Alderman Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Laws and Ordinances, verbally reported the following entitled ordinances, and the same were received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:
A further supplement to an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance to authorize the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company to lay a single track of iron rails, in certain streets in Jersey City, passed Dec. 13t 1859."
"An ordinance to regulate Blasting."
The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions applications heretofore referred to said Committee.
The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:
Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep Inns and Taverns at the following named places:
Lyman Fisk, 15, 17 and 19 Exchange place, 1st district.
Elizabeth S. Rae, 115 Hudson street, 1st district.
Otto Meyer, 6, 8 and 10 Exchange place, 1st district.
Thomas Gross, corner Hudson and Grand streets, 1st district.
Chester M. Hager, Hoboken near Palisade avenue, 5th district.
John Allen, Newark avenue near City Hall place, 5th district.
D. H. Sherman & Co., Bay Shore House, 6th district.
The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:
Yeas—All the members present—twelve in number.
Resolved, That license be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the First District:
Peter Hermann, 133 Montgomery street; John Adelung, 48 Warren street; F N Kellers, 84 Greene

street ; B Keilers, 33 Sussex street ; John F Randolph, 49 Newark avenue ; Patrick Lee, 24 Essex street; Jacob N Wooster, 15 Montgomery street ; James Quigley, corner Warren and Essex street ; Frank Hiltensperger, 193 Henderson street; Jurgon H Adelung, 66 Warren street ; Francis Masterson, 61 Washington street ; James Caffrey, 207 Grand street : Wm Mailly, 23 Montgomery street ; Thomas Scott, 135 Greene street; William Gross, corner Hudson and Sussex streets ; Alexander Fallon, 36 Morris street ; Henry Meyer, junction York and Gregory streets ; Henry Lohrmann, 211 Grove street ; Matthew Doyle, 33 Montgomery street ; F B Roach, 16 Sussex street ; Charles T Lange, 17 Newark avenue; Diedrick Stegman, 2 and 4 Exchange Place ; William Reilly, 100 Essex street ; Alexander Grant, corner York and Washington streets ; O Richardson & Bro., 127 Hudson street ; Michael Doyle, 45 York street ; Thomas Kelly, south east corner Hudson and Morris streets; Thomas Kelly, south east corner York and Hudson streets ; Patrick Colahan, 39 Morris street; John J Grogan, corner Morris and Greene streets; Martin Sethman, 11 Sussex street; James Gorman, 153 Warren street; A Hardekoff, 131 Montgomery street; E C Dickinson & Bro., 90 Montgomery street; William McCormack, 114 Essex street; T D Cowan, 189 Henderson street; Edward McGinness, 161 Newark avenue ; George Schumann & Co., 134 Washington street; Bernard Delany, 13 Montgomery street; Thomas Donnelly, 17 Sussex street ; Thomas Lenahan, 115 Morris street ; Diedricn Heistenbuttel, 49 Warren street; Bernard Harney, 48 Newark avenue; Herman Meyer, corner Warren and Mercer streets; George Luhrman, corner Washington and Essex streets: Luhrmann & Offermann, corner Greene and Essex streets: W. B. Schafer, 27 and 29 Newark avenue ; Goetze & Landmesser, 33 Newark avenue ; William Weigers, 69 Washington street ; William H. Nafew & Son, 5 Exchange place; C S Fox, 28 Montgomery street; John Smith, 135 Hudson street ; Meschutt & Akley, 100 Montgomery street; John C Allen, 147 Hudson st.: John J Morris, 117 Newark avenue; Crawley & Garretson, 141 Warren street; Frank Wahlan, 116 Morris street ; Magdalena Bertsch, 182 Montgomery street ; J. H. Dowd, 184 Montgomery street; John T. Dunn, 123 Montgomery street ; Philip Liud, 61 Newark avenue ; W J Montgomery, 53 York street; John Smith, 127 Hudson street; A Craw & Co., New Jersey Railroad Depot ; James Marriner, 7 Grand street ; William H. Gallagher, 159 Greene street : Charles Murrin, 201 Grand street ; Patrick Rogan, 87 Hudson street.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, twelve in number.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep Restaurants at the following named places in the Second District:

Alexander Robertson, 108 Steuben street; Ernest Weldhagen, 136 Pavonia avenue; Gustav Reisch, corner North 5th and Grove street; Diedrich Muller, 50 Pavonia avenue; James Leahy, South 8th near Greene street; Gilbert Gannon, corner Wayne and Colgate streets; John Moran, West Grand street near Mill Creek; Valentine Mattel, 257 Railroad avenue; Patrick Gorman, 197 Greene street; Herman Sterson, corner North 2d and Provost street; John McLaughlin, 203 Provost street; Christopher Connolly, 375 South 8th street; James Flannagan, southwest corner Jersey avenue and North 3d street; Edward Casserly, 181 South 6th street ; Henry Hanstein 244 Railroad avenue; John Harper, 162 Prospect street; Mrs. Eliza Hart, corner South 2d street and Newark avenue; George Kircher, 192 Pavonia avenue: James Malloy, Colden Place, opposite Library Hall; David C Joyce, 127 Morgan street; James Nolan, 18 Provost street; Conrad Stier, 280 Wayne street; Thomas Koster, 317 Newark avenue; John Hersch, 297 Newark avenue; Michael Dougherty, 18 Prospect street; Michael Murphy, 145 Morgan street; Patrick Gracy, 460 South 8th street; Daniel Looney, 206 Prospect street; James Smyth, 137 Steuben street; Hen yConvery, Junction of Palisade and Commnipawr avenue and Bergen pt plank road; Charles Peterson, 20 Prospect street; Thomas Conroy, 362 South 7th street ; Sophia Smith, cor South 8th and Prior street; John Flemming, North 2d street bet. Jersey avenue and Erie street; John Griffin, cor North 4th and Coles street; Curtis Jennings, cottage under the Cliff, ft hill; Peter Sturche, 21 Brunswick street; Engelbert Neuriter, cor Grand and State street; P. McPhilip, cor Erie and North 5th streets; John Doyle, 272 North 3d street; Thomas Tynan, 128 Morgan street; Michael Grady, 445 Grove street; Michael Voeller, 42 Prospect street; Henry Sievers, 152 Prospect street; Hugh O'Reilly, 267 Newark avenue; James Harper, 298 Wayne street: James Harper, 362 Wayne street; George Schelz, 273 Wayne street; Peter A. Smith, 355 South Seventh street; Patrick Manning, Cornelison near Hudson avenue; Francis Machlin, south west cor Morgan and Warren streets; Frederick A. Seitz, cor North 1st and Monmouth streets; Benj. J. F. Roberts, 218 Prospect street; Philip Reilly, 398 South 8th street: Mrs. Ellen Conway, 363 South 8th street; Joseph Bauer, 151 Steuben street; Max Dorn, 23 Brunswick street; John Reilly, 227 Railroad avenue; Mrs. Maria Wall, 177 Washington street; James Kelley, Grand near Barrow street; James Murphy, corner Grove and Pavonia avenue; Patrick Hayden, 76 North 1st street; Patrick Hayden, 21 Pavonia avenue; Diederich Schroeder, 280 Newark avenue; Michael McGrath, corner South 8th and Greene streets; John Hanley, 396 South 8th street; Thomas Long, 177 Warren street; John Maloney, 222 Prospect street; Louis Henry, 271 Wayne street; John Mills, Newark avenue near foot of Hill; David Barry, 19 North 5th street; Daniel Torpy, 144 North 1st street; Michael Kein, Provost between North 1st and Pavonia avenue: Michael Egan, 286 North 3rd street; John Falahee, 241 Prospect street; Peter Shutel, 301 Newark avenue; John O'Beirne, 4 Prospect street; John Costigan, 374 South 7th street; Alexander McCoy, Grand near Merseles street; Terrence Beggon, 269 Railroad avenue; Henry Beckmeyer, 201 Warren street; John Mcbride, Westervelt street near Mill road; Michael Sproulds, 318 Wayne street; John Carmody, 141 North 1st street; James O'Reilly, 128 Pavonia avenue; Patrick Malone 111 Morgan street; Stephen McCarthy, North 7th between Prospect and Provost streets; Schurmann & Nerbihal, Mt Pleasant Park; James Webber, 114 Washington street; Henry Van Oesen, 104 Pavonia avenue; Patrick Kelly, 446 South 8th street; Henry Hennecke, corner Provost and North 3d streets; Mrs M Carroll, 124 Steuben street; George Lund, 147 Morgan street; Patrick McLean, corner Steuben and Washington streets; Mrs Margeret Corcoran, 342 South 6th street; Thomas Buckley, 243 Prospect street; Michael Desmot, 217 Prospect street.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered taken:

Yeas—All the members present—twelve in number.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep Restaurants in the following named places, in the Third District.

John Jennings, 54 Monmouth street ; Charles Baechler, 307 Grove street ; Michael Holmes, 363 South 2d street ; Anton Hilbers, 364 South 2d street ; L Jonnson & Son, 332 Grove street ; Owen O'Keefe, 164 Morgan street ; Louis Mohl, Jr, 309 Newark avenue; Thomas Dwyer, 33 Prospect street; Daniel Cleary, corner Grove and Bay street ; Joseph Colgan, corner Grove and South 4th streets ; Anton Reuter, 180 Newark avenue; John Harper, 91 Prospect street ; John Pelloth, 311 Coles street ; Ernst Fecket, 39 Coles street ; Julius Kahl, corner Railroad avenue and Prospect street ; J. P. Schutz, 368 Grove street ; Anton Hoeller, 299 South 8th street ; John Stierle, 364 South 6th street; George Schoerer, 298 Newark avenue; Nicholas Hellmer, 121 Erie street; Patrick Toner, 71 Prospect street; Charles Schutz 267 Railroad avenue; Sievus & Busch, 273 Railroad avenue; Rudolph Sailor, 157 Newark avenue; Mrs S Fielding, corner Grove street and Newark avenue; Thomas O'Connor, 212 Railroad avenue ; Patrick McCormick 222 Grove street ; Michael Gibben, 294 Newark avenue; Michael O Hara, 53 Prospect street: F Grimmelman, corner South First and Grove streets ; Casper Werder, 283 Newark avenue; S R Winfield, 238 Newark avenue; Matthew Gorman, 239 Newark avenue; Michael Dooley, 317 Grove street ; Henry Cros, 231 Railroad avenue; Theodore Frank, 182 Newark avenue; H W Harms, corner South 2d and Coles streets; Ferdinand Stelling, 98 Coles street ; Patrick Hayden, 165 Prospect street; John Harmes, corner South 2d and Brunswick streets; Patrick O'Connell, corner of South 3d and Coles streets , Christopher Trantz, 302 Newark avenue; Peter Kappes, 294 Grove street; Bernhard Meissner, 186 Newark avenue; John True, corner Monmouth and South

2d streets; James Kelly, 165 Morgan street; George H Siegenthaler, 151 Jersey avenue; John L Rittenhouse, 164 Newark avenue; James Baxter, 22 Newark avenue; Michael Grobholz, 70 R R avenue; John Corrigan, 197 Newark avenue; George Titus, 177 Newark avenue, Henry Rolfs, 107 Coles street; F O'Reilly, 319 South 8th street; Jacob Siemore, 274 Newark avenue; Matthew Sullivan, 68 Prospect street.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas.—All the members present, twelve in number.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fourth District:

John Leitz, Beacon avenue near Montgomery avenue; Henry Voth Washington av between Ferry and Franklin streets; William Driscoll, corner Newark avenue and Rose Terrace; Louis Schiede, Bergen avenue between Griffith and Hutten streets; John Schuhardt, West Newark avenue, near Prospect Reserve; Senez Noppel, Beacon near Montgomery avenue; Edward Wredecorner Franklin street and Washington avenue; Valentine Feldmeyer, north east corner Montgomery and Madison avenues; Anton Schick, corner Bergenwood and Clinton avenues; William Horst, Montgomery avenue near South street; Frederick Albanisius, corner Grand and Highland avenues; Louis Eigenrauch corner Clerk avenue and Van Vorst street; John O'Donnell, corner Montgomery and Beacon avenues; James Burke, Hoboken, near Palisade avenue; Joseph Hart, Germania, near Grand avenue; Henry Bock, West St. Paul's and Tonnele avenue; Gustave Hildebrand, corner Bergen Wood and Highland avenues; William Dietrich, 28 Newark street; Charles Vollers, Grand avenue and South street; George Schultz, Jackson st. near Montgomery avenue; Mrs. Elenor Kasrick, Paterson Plank Road House; William Munsing, West Newark avenue, near Five Corners; John F. Schraefer, Beacon avenue between Montgomery and Bergen Wood avenues; Louis Kirsten, Scott street, between Summit and Grand avenues; John Hamlin, corner South street and Palisade avenues; Michael McDonough, Beacon near Oakland avenue; Frederick Becker, Palisade avenue, between Hutton and Griffith streets; John Schewlls, corner Broad st.and Palisade avenues; J. H. Finn corner Griffith av.and Clinton streets; Nicholas Frauham, southwest corner Palisade avenue and Broad street; Michael Hoy, Madison near Oakland avenue; C. Wittpenn & Co., 121, Beacon avenue; Catharine Disqui, Paterson Plank Road near Tollgate; F. W. Knolland, corner Summit avenue and Scott street; John Haughy, corner Warren street and Clinton avenue; John Bott, Newark avenue near Marion depot, N. J. R. R.; Herman Tietjen, corner Summit avenue and Zabriskie streets; Martin Welsh, Newark near Tonnele avenue: John Prigge, corner Bergen avenue and Jackson street; Henry Suffel, Clinton avenue, near Franklin street; William Madden, St. Paul's avenue near Bergen avenue; C. Henneke, corner Clinton avenue and Franklin street; Edward Henn, Bergenwood near Beacon avenue; Philip J. Dittmar, southeast corner Hudson and Broad streets; Henry Goedecker, corner Pierce avenue and Paterson street; Barnwell Sweeting, ham, Thorne street near Summit avenue; Henry Bahr, corner Mondeville street and Summit avenue; Joseph Fillweber, Newark avenue near Prospect Reserve; John Feiler, Palisade avenue, between Ferry and Franklin streets; John Wagner, near Five corners, on West Newark avenue; G. H. Grauer, Pierce avenue corner Paterson street; Leopold Haungs, Pierce avenue corner Warren street; Philip Adelman, Montgomery avenue: John J. Braubach, corner South street and Passaic avenue, Stephen Kessler, South street between Summit and Grand avenues: Martin Tietjen, Montgomery avenue and Grove street; George Schade, 7 Jackson street: A. B. Cosgrove, West Newark avenue opposite Rose Terrace: Louis Wicht, Montrose near Manhattan avenue: F. A. Boeheme, Germania avenue: John Leigh, 219 West Warren street; Peter Schroder, corner Newark and Grand avenues: John Zimkley, corner Montrose avenue and Beech street: J. H. Fechtenmuller, Paterson street near Passaic avenue: B. H. Lulken, corner Jefferson and Oakland avenues: H. F. Bruggeman, corner Summit avenue and Grove streets: Michael Murphy, corner Jay street and Rose Terrace: J. H. Van Ogen, corner Montgomery and Madison avenues: Henry Strothman, corner Madison and Oakland avenues: Andrew Scanlan, Colden street, between Bergen Wood and Summit avenues: Hugh O. Johnson south east corner Oakland and Beacon avenues: William Godh, 100 Beacon avenue: Mrs. Mary Seipher, Beacon avenue, between Montgomery and Oakland avenues: Christopher Kahrhoff, Montgomery av.between Newark and South streets: Peter Diller, corner Germania and Bellavista avenues: John Creegan, Madison near Oakland avenue: Henry Klein, West St. Paul's near Tonnele avenue: F. C. Bubser, Palisade avenue near Franklin street: Christian A. Schmidt, Zabriskie street between Summit and Grand avenues: Adam Bub, N. W. corner Broad street and Hudson avenue: John W. McKiernan, corner Madison and Bergen Wood avenue: Louis Dieters, Humboldt street near Columbia avenue; Jacob Isell, Palisade avenue, between Franklin and Ferry streets; Mrs. Walsch, Franklin near Clerk avenue; Wm. Fuchs, corner of Franklin street and Clerk avenue; John Kuhlmann, Thorne street near Summit avenue; John Wies, Colden street and Clark avenue; W. H. Van Oegen, corner Hutton and Clinton streets: Steinberger & Muller, corner Palisade avenue and Griffifth street; Francis Bolland, Grace street, between Summit and Montgomery avenues; F. C. Gillins, Thorne street, between Summit and Grand avenues; John Hololwegs & Bros. corner Pierce avenue and South South street; Chas. H. Fitzpatrick, Beacon, between Montgomery and Bergenwood avenues; John H. Schone, corner Bergen avenue and Griffith street: Mathias Henn, Bergen avenue between Colden and Griffith streets; Charles H. Mayer, corner Broad street and Mountain Road; P. & H. Fiedemau, Tonnele avenue near County road; John Brummer, corner Summit avenue and Paterson street; Hugh Curley: Beacon, near Bergenwood avenue; Henry Kelmkamp, Mannion avenue near Newark street; John Berghaefer, 13 Jackson street: William Bennken, Oakland avenue near Madison avenue; Andrew Mannion, corner Grand and Newark avenues; C. F. Ehrbard, South street near Summit avenue; Edward Ritz, Palisade ave; Felix M. Puget, cor. Franklin street, and Montgomery avenue; Charles Kohlhund, corner West St. Paul's avenue and Second street; Ann Trinka, Bergen avenue, bet. Hutten and Griffith streets; Diederick Langerwich, Clinton avenue near Franklin street; Wm. Aukamp, corner Colden street and Clerk avenue; Christian Helme, cor. Bergen avenue and Hutten street; Jacob Kline, First street, near West St. Paul's avenue; Margaret Fahl, northwest cor. Montgomery avenue and Newark street; George Keough, West Newark near Tonnele avenue: Jacob Goodmiller, Franklin street; William J. Taylor, cor. Beacon and Columbia avenues; William Wagneer, cor Scott st and Union place; John Heslin, Bergenwood av near Reservoir lane; Mertin Bosquett, Madison near Oakland avenue; David Farrington, 430 Palisade avenue; Conrad Stock, Beacon near Bergenwood avenue; Adam Siegfried, cor Clinton and South streets; Anton Senten, Franklin avenue bet. Palisade avenue and Clinton street; William Bording, cor Newark avenue and Rose terrace; Henry H. Stehn, cor Palisade avenue and Liberty street; Samuel Wright, Madison near Palisade avenue; Charles F. Hoberg, Palisade avenue bet. Franklin and Hutton streets; William Sahemmer, cor Palisade avenue and Cedar street; Charles Brauer, Sixth street, near West St. Paul's avenue; Thomas Ratigan, Beacon avenue between Oakland avenue and Columbia street: Carston Fiedmann, South street near Clinton street; George R. Stierly, Newark avenue opposite Frazer place; Claus Meyer, corner Warren street and Summit avenue; John Eller, Palisade avenue, between Franklin and Ferry streets; William White, Beacon, between Oakland and Columbia avenues; Joseph Berger, Palisade avenue near Broad street; William McCleary, Northwest corner Bergenwood and West Newark avenues; Catherine LeGrand, corner Bergenwood avenue and Mandeville street; Jacob Shobns, Newark avenue near Bleeker street; John Engel, Madison avenue, between Columbia and Oakland avenues; John Brestenstein, Palisade avenue between Ferry and Franklin streets.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken.

Yeas.—All the members present, twelve in number.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fifth District:

Thomas Boothroyd, Academy street, corner Front street; John McCarthy, corner Newark avenue and McPherson Lane; Michael Blewitt, Newark Plank Road near Bergen avenue; Thomas Taff, Westview, near Westside avenue; John N. Sanders, corner Bergen and Hudson avenues; Jacob Weber, Grand street, near Monticello avenue; James Conner, Monticello avenue near Emory street; William Hepsley Washington avenue near Palisade avenue; William Cummings, Grand street near Monticello avenue; J.

F. Maenken, Grand street opposite Jackson avenue; Patrick H Cosgrove, corner Bergen street and Palisade avenue; L. A. Standinger, Newark avenue near City Hall place; Matthew Costello, Newark avenue opposite Court House; Mrs. Wm. Perry, City Hall place near Hoboken avenue; Charles Denniston, corner Montgomery and Orchard streets; H. Jackens, corner Monticello avenue and Bowden avenues; E. Dreyer, corner Palisade avenue and Vroom street: Charles Dohler, City Hall place near Hoboken avenue; Henry Busch, Montgomery street near Tuers avenue; Ferdinand Heintze, southwest corner City Hall Place and Hoboken ave.; Gustave Kuerzeh, corner Hoboken avenue and City Hall place; Frank A. Kohlund, Hoboken avenue, near Five Corners; Hugh Flynn, Tuers avenue, between Montgomery and Church streets; Matrin May, corner of Bowden and Monticello avenues; Bernhard Simon, Hoboken avenue, near City Hall place; J. J. Gaffney, Newark avenue, between Willow Court and Five Corners; Jacob Frank, Hoboken near Palisade avenue; George A. Farran, corner St. Paul's and Bergen avenues; F. N. Schroeder, corner Chestnut and Newark avenue; Patrick Foley, Bergenwood, near Hoboken avenve; Michael Donnelly, Newark avenue, near Court House; August Henning, Cook street, near Hoboken avenue; Joseph Flegaul, Hoboken avenue, near Five Corners.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, twelve in number.

Resolved, That Licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Sixth District:

James Donohue Bergen pt plk road near Communipaw avenue; John Dunn, Bergen pt plk rd near Carteret avenue; John Kerrigan, Grove street near Jackson avenue; John O'Brien, 234 Wayne street; John Lancks, 238 Wayne street; John Kaiser, Bergen pt. plk road, near Communipaw avenue; John Conners, Bergen pt plk rd, near Communipaw avenue; Philip Nesbihal, 229 Railroad avenue; William Murphy, Bay street near Communipaw avenue; Geo. H. Siegenthaler, corner Jersey and Railroad avenues; Cristian Kaiser, corner Walnut and Whiton streets; Michael Fay, Grove st. near Jackson avenue; Patrick Murphy, 242 Wayne street: Wendell Green, southwest corner of Ocean avenue and Union street; Patrick H. Tealing, corner Grand and Sackett streets 1 Martin Doyle, 230 Wayne street; Henry Mades, 24; Wayne street; Jacob Zimmerlee, 207 Railroad avenue; Robert Bubser, Bay street; Patrick Clark, Pine street between Maple and Walnut streets; James Baker, Newark Plankroad, Hackensack bridge; Thomas Bishop, Bergen Point Plankroad near Grand street; Christian Meyer, West Grand street near Bergen avenue; Frederick Lerche, Ocean, near Myrtle avenue; James F. Keenan, Bernan Point Plank road opposite Sherman street; Joseph Casper, Forrest street, near Ocean avenue; George Lusche, Communipaw avenue, near Ocean avenue; Bernard McCourt, junction Ocean avenue and Grand street; James Conheeney, Walnut, near Halliday street.

On motion of Alderman Holden the resolution wa amended by striking out the words "John Kerrigan' Grove street, near Jersey avenue."

The resolution as amended was passed by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, twelve in number.

Alderman Reardon, from the Committee on Railroads, presented the following resolution relative to petition referred to said Committee at this meeting.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company to lay a turnout of iron rails for use of their horse cars in Jersey avenue, between York and Grand street, also one in York street, near Grove street, and that said company is hereby further authorized to lay two tracks upon the sidewalk on the northerly side of Grand street, between Jersey avenue and Mill Creek bridge; the said turnouts and tracks to be removed as soon as the improvement in Grand street from Mill Creek to Van Vorst street shall be completed, and the work to be done under the direction of the Committee on Streets.

Alderman Smith moved "That the resolution be amended by adding the following words, "provided that none but flat or flange rails shall be used, and that after removal the streets and sidewalks shall be restored to their present condition."

The amendment was accepted.

Alderman Edwards moved, "That the resolution be further amended by adding the words, "and that each of said turnouts shall not exceed two hundred feet in length."

The amendment was accepted.

The resolution was then adopted.

The Committee on Streets verbally reported through its chairman, the following resolutions on petition re erred to said committee June 20, 1871, of Henry Klein for removal of tracks of Pavonia Horse Railroad Co., corner of West St. Paul's avenue and Second street, from curb to centre of street.

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be requested to cause the tr cks of the Pavonia Horse Railroad Co., corner of West St. Paul's avenue and Second street to be removed from its present location to the centre of the street.

The report was received resolution adopted.

The Committee on Streets to whom was referred July 18, 1871, the petition of Bernard McCourt, for permission to erect a sign over walk front of store corner of Ocean and Grand streets, &c., presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted during the pleasure of the Board to Bernard McCourt to erect a sign over walk in in front of store corner of Ocean and Grand streets.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Streets to whom was referred August 1, 1871, the petition of Thomas E. Hewett, for permission to place a sign board, &c., presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted during the pleasure of this Board to Thomas E. Hewett, to erect a sign in front of store, 62 Montgomery street.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred to said Committee.

The report was received and the resolution disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to D. Bogert, on his paying the licens ees.

The resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That a license to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city, to Patrick Mulvey, Michael Kennedy, William Powley, Matthew McNierny, John Glenn, James Coutter, James Bell, Otis Shaver, William D. Skeens, Moses Boyce, Henry Gayer and Jacob Christman, on their paying the license fees.

The resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That licenses to keep junk shops at the following named places be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees, viz:

James Golden, 31 Brunswick street, 2d District.
Patrick McCabe, 356 Wayne street, 2d District.
Peter McElroy, 315 Railroad avenue, 2d District.
Nicholas Ehgrott, 257 Railroad avenue, 2d District.
James Callaghan, Reservoir Lane 4th District.
James Collins, S. W. corner South4th and Brunswick street, 2d District.
David Harper, 377 South 6th street, 2d District.
George Hausche, Reservoir Lane, 4th District.
John Manyon, Reservoir Lane, near Bergenwood avenue, 4th District.
James Callaghan, Reservoir Lane 4th District.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, twelve in number.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of J. M. Woods & Co., $206.50; Herman Burns, $33.65.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Robert Harriot, $46.50.

Referred to Committee on Nuisances.

Of Times Printing Co., $163.80.
Referred to Committee of Printing.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions presented, received and disposed of viz:

By Alderman Edwards and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Streets are hereby requested to proceed in the matter of naming of the streets, avenues, and public places in the city, and that said Committee are hereby authorized to procure a map for their use.

By Alderman Bumsted and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for salaries for August, when due, viz: John E. Scott, city clerk $133.33; James H. Love, Collector, $291.66; S.D. Ellis, Marshal, $53.33; R. G. Dudley, Overseer of the Poor, $83.33.

By Alderman Edwards and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner is hereby requested to cause the immediate removal of obstructions, consisting of Belgian blocks from sidewalks in Hudson avenue, south of Franklin street, Fourth District, provided three days be allowed for removal from date of notice.

By the President and adopted:

Resolved, That the Police Commissioners be requested to strictly enforce the ordinance regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors

By Alderman Mandeville and adopted:

Resolved, That the Police Commissioners be requested to strictly enforce the ordinance relating to fast driving, without fear or favor.

On motion of Alderman Holden, it was

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of John B Haight for $244 66 for services as collector, from May 1st to 26th inclusive.

On motion of Alderman Smith the following entitled ordinances reported by the Committee on Laws and Ordinances on the 1st instant, were taken from the table in the order hereinafter named, and were severally read, considered and disposed of as follows:

"An ordinance declaring nuisances and providing for their abatement."

On motion of Alderman Edwards the 7th section was amended by strikingout the word "seven" and inserting in its stead the words "twelve and one-half" as the quantity of gunpowder in pounds that may be kept or stored.

On motion of Alderman Holden the penalty for violation named in the seventh and eighth sections was fixed at fifty dollars, instead of ten dollars named in the ordinance.

The ordinance as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—Alderman Joyce and Reardon.

"An ordinance concerning the appointment of a Scholarship in Columbia College, New York."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Alderman Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

"An ordinance to re-enact and to amend certain ordinances heretofore passed and to extend their provisions over the limits of the city of Jersey City as at present constituted."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Alderman Bumsted, Edwards, Holdden, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Joyce.

"An ordinance prescribing penalties."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Alderman Chamber, Tuesday, September 5, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

In the absence of the President, the Board was called to order by the City Clerk.

Present—Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Absent—President Farrier, Aldermen Mandeville and Smith.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, Alderman Holden was appointed President *pro tempore*.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the minutes of the regular meeting, August 15, 1871, were approved without reading.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the Board then adjourned to meet Wednesday, the 6th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M. JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Adjourned regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Wednesday, September 6, 1871, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Edwards, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Absent—Aldermen Bumsted, Holden and Stier.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, communications, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows, viz:

Petitions of Jacob Iseli, for transfer of his license to keep a restaurant at Palisade avenue between Franklin and Ferry streets to W. Lange.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

Petition of Matthew Costello, for transfer of his license to keep a restaurant at Newark avenue, opposite County Court House, to Charles E. Newham.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

Petition of the North Hudson County Railway Company, by J. H. Bonn, President, for permission to lay a double track of iron rail on Montgomery avenue, instead of single track in said avenue.

Laid upon the table, on motion of Alderman Edwards.

Petition of Leonard J. Gordon, for permission to store nitro-glycerine, not exceeding fifty pounds, in a safe constructed under ground, on line of Newark and New York Railroad cut.

Laid upon the table.

Petition of Leonard J. Gordon, for permission to store gunpowder, not exceeding ten kegs (300 pounds) in his iron magazine on the line of the Newark and New York Railroad cut.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Petition of John O'Sullivan, for the appointment of constable of First Aldermanic District. Ordered filed.

Communication from the Clerk of the Board of Public Works, submitting a petition of John S. Sutphin for removal of encroachments from east side of Bergen avenue, between Fairview and Bowden avenues; and a petition of F. C. Gillins for abatement of nuisance caused by stagnant water in Thorne street, between Summit and Grand avenues, both referred August 15, 1871, by Board of Public Works to Board of Aldermen. Referred to committee on streets.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

First District—Frederick Schumann, 72½ Essex street.

Second District—Thomas Sheehan, Hudson avenue, near Mill road; Patrick McDonald, 275 Newark avenue; John Mahoney, corner North Ninth and Prospect streets; Mrs. S. Radhs, corner South Seventh and Colgate streets; Wm. A. Martin, corner Steuben and Warren streets; Martin McLaughlin, corner North Seventh and Prospect streets; Patrick Hogan, corner North Seventh and Prospect streets; John Pittschan, 239 Prospect street; John McGovern, 350 South Eighth street; Jacob Stumpf, 270 Railroad avenue; James Roche, 326 South Seventh street; John Cummings, Cornelison, near Hudson avenue; Patrick Daley, North Second street, between Monmouth and Brunswick streets; Henry Von Glahn, 415 South Eighth street.

Third District—John Bischoff, 104 Coles street.

Fourth District—Thomas Greis, Beacon, near Columbia avenue; Nicholas Kelley, corner Bergenwood and Beacon avenues; Oscar Seigmund, 490 Palisade avenue; Thomas F. Cone, corner Bergenwood and West St. Paul's avenues; Thomas Powers, West Newark avenue, near Bleecker street; George Keagel, Grove street, near Summit avenue.

Fifth District—Joseph Foran, 7 Crawford street.

Sixth District—Martin O'Day, Bergen Point plankroad, opposite Bramhall avenue; John Lerman, Bergen Point plankroad, near Newark Railroad. Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petitions of Alfred Wilson, William Dexter, Thomas Holden, Jacob Ankner, Patrick Shay, William Burke, and Martin Gibbons, for licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables. Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of James Rouan, for license to keep a junk shop at Palisade avenue, between Franklin and Hutton streets, Fourth District. Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of William E. Waterman, for a license to vend merchandize other than meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, &c. Referred to the committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Anton Schick, for permission to erect an awning in front of store corner of Bergen wood and Clinton avenues. Referred to the committee on streets.

Petition of James Gough, for permission to erect an awning in front of store 227 Grove street. Referred to the committee on streets.

Petition from W. E. Barnes and others, residents and property owners on Westside avenue, to have said avenue drained by the opening of a brook or natural water course at the junction of Sip and Westside avenues. Referred to the committee on streets.

Petition of William McCarron for permission to construct vaults under sidewalk in front of three buildings at the southwest corner of Grove and South Eighth streets. Referred to the committee on streets.

Petition of Lawrence Trieger and others, owners of property and residents on Beacon, Bergenwood avenues and other streets, for the removal of public pound from said locality. Referred to the committee on streets.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Herman Bruns for $33 65, for groceries for outdoor poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. M. Woods & Co. for $206 50, for coal for outdoor poor, old City of Bergen contract late Board of Aldermen.

By committee on nuisances:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Robert Harriot for $46 50, for destroying dogs from July 25 to August 14, 1871.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by committee on alms, in payment of claims referred to said committee at this meeting, and audited under a suspension of the rules:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Paul Schober for $69, for meat for outdoor poor for August, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John A. Duncan, for $89 20 for groceries, for indigent poor for August, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Totten Bros., for $117 60 for meat, for outdoor poor for June and July, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Buerk & Marquart, for $24 60 for meat for outdoor poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Lewis & Bliss, $39 65 for groceries for outdoor poor for August, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley, for $31 50 for horse keep, for overseer of poor for August, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Coykendall Bros., for $121 80 for groceries, for outdoor poor for August, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of James Young for $33 for meat, for indigent poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Drayton & Durant, for $117 90 for bread, for outdoor poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of R. G. Dudley, for $22 36 for transportation of paupers.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk laid before the board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office August 25, 1871, and the same was read, received, and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, August 21, 1871.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City.

Gentlemen: I herewith return without my approval the following ordinance, passed at your last meeting:

"An ordinance prescribing penalties."

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain as follows:

Sec. 1 That for the violation of any ordinance, or part of an ordinance, heretofore passed, or hereafter to be passed by the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, where a penalty by imprisonment has not been, or shall not be, prescribed in said ordinance of such violation, it shall be lawful for the justice before whom any person may be convicted of such violation to impose a penalty, by imprisonment in the city prison for any term not exceeding ten days, instead of or in addition to the imposition of any lawful fine, as such justice may in his discretion adjudge.

Passed August 15, 1871.

GEO. H. FARRIER, President,
JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk."

Should this ordinance become a law, every person in Jersey City, either resident or non-resident, will be liable to imprisonment for ten days for the violation of any ordinance heretofore passed, or hereafter to be passed, by the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, subject only to the discretion of the justice before whom such person may be convicted of such violation. I am at a loss to discover the object of such an ordinance, unless it is to clothe the police magistrates with a very arbitrary and extraordinary power. I cannot see the necessity of the ordinance, and am unwilling to consent to the passage of a law granting such unbounded authority to any person, and therefore beg leave to return the ordinance without my signature.

Very respectfully, yours, &c,

CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

On motion of Aldermen Smith, the consideration of the communication was postponed until the next regular meeting.

The City Clerk presented a report of the filing in his office on the 5th inst., at ten o'clock A. M., of the resignation of Myles Tierney, as a member of the Board of Education. The report was received and ordered filed.

The City Clerk presented reports of the approval by the Mayor, August 18, 1871, of the ordinances passed August 15, 1871, concerning the appointment of a scholarship in Columbia College; declaring nuisances, and to re-enact and amend certain ordinances heretofore passed. The reports were received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Alms presented a report submitting three sealed proposals received by them in answer to an advertisement for proposals for a contract to furnish two hundred (200) tons of Lehigh nut coal, gross weight, for distribution to outdoor poor, the report recommending that the proposals be opened and read.

The report was received and its recommendation adopted.

The proposals were opened, read and found to be as follows:

From C. S. Steele, $7 96 per ton; J. M. Woods & Co., $6 75 per ton; George Watts, $6 per ton, old Jersey City, 100 tons; $7 per ton, old Hudson City, 50 tons, and $6 75 per ton, old City of Bergen, 50 tons.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Wandle, and adopted:

Resolved, That the three sealed proposals reported at this meeting by the committee on alms opened and read, for the contract to furnish two hundred (200) tons, gross weight, of Lehigh coal for distribution to outdoor poor, be referred to the committee on alms, with authority to enter into a contract with the lowest of said bidders, provided the said committee deem it to the interest of the city so to do; and that on the requisition of said committee the Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized to execute, under the corporate seal of the city, and on its behalf, such contract as shall have been prepared by the city attorney, and duly executed by the party or parties to whom the same shall have been awarded, and after the said party or parties shall have given security satisfactory to the committee on alms for the faithful fulfilment of said contract.

The committee on baths and armories, to whom was referred, August 15, 1871, the communication from the Emmett Guard, requesting a reconsideration of the action heretofore had in refusing them the further use of the City armory, presented a report thereon, "adverse to allowing any organization unattached to the regular State militia, the use of the City armory." The report was received and adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Edwards, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Joyce and Reardon.

The committee on laws and ordinances, to whom were referred August 15, 1871, the petitions of James Duffy and John O'Connor for remission of fines for violating junk ordinance, presented a report thereon adverse to granting the prayer of the petitioners.

The report was received and adopted.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license be granted to John J. Wanner to keep an inn and tavern at 9 and 11 Montgomery street in the First District.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the First District: Samuel Slater, 115 Grove st.; John Behrmann, 18 Morris st.; John Fallon, 19 Sussex st.; James Roche, 81 Newark ave.; James Donovan, 205 Grand st.; B. J. Fisher, 29 Montgomery st.; William McDonnell, 203 Grand st.; John McKeever, 89 Railroad ave.; Michael Nugent, 216 Barrow st.; Sophia Zschau, 147 Newark ave.; Michael Schaffel, 230 Grand st.; Jas. Coughlin, 101 Essex st.; Simon Bauer, 27 Essex st.; Thomas McCann, 111 Essex st.; John Whitelow, 141 Montgomery st.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Second District:

Leopold Hurst, 265 Railroad ave; Albin Weide, cor. North Fourth and Grove sts.; Joseph Gertler, cor. South Sixth and Brunswick sts.; Bernard Farley, cor. North Fourth and Erie sts.; Michael H. Carroll, Grove st., bet. Forth Tenth and Eleventh sts.; Michael Hogan, n. w. cor. South Eighth and Colgate sts.; Andrew McAra, cor. Newark ave. and Waldo ave.; Thomas Flanigan, 180 Erie st.; Allers & Stahmer, cor. Erie and North Third sts.; Allers & Stahmer, cor. North First and Prospect sts.; Michael Murphy, cor. Grand st. and Hudson ave.; Patrick Cronin, 276 North Third st.; Thomas Reilly, 348 South Eighth st.; Patrick Sheehan, 309 Prospect st.; John Purcell, 208 Provost st.; Patriek Dowling, 112 Steuben st.; Patrick Birmingham, 266 Wayne st.; H. W. & F. J Miller, cor. Erie and North Fourth sts; Adam Kachler, 376 Grand st; Martin Doyle, 329 Railroad ave; Mary Mannion, 313 Railroad ave; Jeremiah Sullivan, 266 North Third street; Christopher Donohue, Mill road, between Wayne and Academy sts; Francis Nauguton, cor. Colden Place and Grand st; Henry L. Buenemann, 397 Railroad ave; J. B. Evans, 240 North Fifth st; Martin Miller, 22 Prospect st; Wilhelm Walter, Grand st, opposite Washington ave; Julius Jarecki, 130 Pavonia ave.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Third District:

Michael Connolly, 328 South Sixth st; Jacob Seebach, 244 South Eighth st; William Hardekopf, 313 South Sixth st; Henry Castens, 336 Grove st; Charles Saake, 144 Newark ave; Hugh Boyle, 306 Newark ave; John Luhrman & Bro., cor. Monmouth and South Sixth sts; John Luhrman, cor. Erie and South Sixth sts.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number,

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fourth district:

Alban Zanker, cor. Newark ave. and James st.; Christian Dammann, 162 Clinton st.; Schmale & Frowhitter, cor. West st. Paul's ave. and Fifth st.; Philip Moore, cor. Paterson st. and Montgomery ave.; John C. Batjer, cor. Ferry st. and Washington

ave.; Mrs. Alu Hall, Bergenwood ave., cor. Jay st.; Charles Kost, 92 Montgomery ave.; Nicholas Mitchell, Jefferson, near Oakland ave.; Anna Graffelmann, cor. Hancock and Warren sts.; John McGinness, Palisade ave., near Griffith st.; Louis Meyer, cor. Montgomery and Jefferson aves.; Michael Kelly, Bergenwood ave., near five corners; Claus Prigge, cor. Manners ave. and Colden st.; D. Everitt, Madison, near Montgomery ave.; R. Rechenbach, cor. Van Vorst st. and Clerk ave.; Bryan Smith, cor. Bevans and Warren sts.; Philip Hilger, cor. Clinton ave. and Columbia st.; Michael McCormick, cor. Oakland and Beacon aves.; Charles Quinse, Beacon, near Montgomery ave.; David O'Leary, cor. Newark ave. and Prospect Reserve; William Schommer, Beacon ave., bet. Montgomery and Bergenwood aves.; James Z. Baker, cor. Washington ave. and Franklin st.; Charles Schoerer, Madison ave., bet. Colden and Griffith sts.; J. H. Seagar, cor. Montgomery ave. and Jackson st.; John M. Schreck, cor. Ferry st. and Palisade ave.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number.

Resolved, That license be granted to the following named, to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fifth District: Mrs. W. H. Smith, Newark ave., opposite Court House; James Doran, n. e. cor. Palisade ave. and Academy st.; Otto Cumann, Hoboken ave., near Cook st.; Richard D Van Riper, cor. Fairmount and Bergen aves., Henry Stoveken, 200 Newark ave.; John Crosby, n. w. cor Palisade and Hoboken aves.; Adam Wannoner, Hoboken ave., near Bergenwood ave.; Patrick Waterson, cor. Bergen ave. and Park st.; John Eaves, Newark ave., near Five Corners.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number.

Resolved, That license be granted to the following named, to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Sixth District: Adam Lincks, 197 Railroad ave.; John Bayer, cor. Atlantic st. and Ocean ave.; C. G. Kreiling, 73 Grove st.; Philip Landmesser, 233 Grand st.; John Rotger, Newark plankroad, bet. Jackson ave. and Sackett st.; Wittpenn & Bro., cor. Lafayette and Halliday sts.; H. Wittpenn, cor. Lafayette and Pine sts.; Fritz Frey, 242 Wayne st.; George Broughton, 16 Colden st.

The resolution was adoped by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number.

Alderman Edwards, from the committee on streets, returned the petition referred to said committee August 15, 1871, of Valentine Berkel and others, for removal of building from Clinton street, between Ferry and Franklin streets, used as a recepticle for dead bodies, dissecting purposes, &c.

The petit on was referred to the Board of Police Commissioners.

The committee on streets reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee for permission to erect awnings and signs:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted, during the pleasure of this board, to Herman Luttgen to place signs in front of store 57 Montgomery street, provided they do not intertere with public travel.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted, during the pleasure of this board, to M. Gavigan to erect a signboard across the sidewalk in front of store 328 Grove street.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted, during the pleasure of this board, to James Douglas to erect an awning in front of store 8 Prospect street.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolution on applications, referred to said committee August 15, 1871:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to James McDonald, Samuel Riddle, Dennis Murphy, Henry Hamilton, Louis Kiesewetter and Patrick Meers, on their paying the license fees.

The resolution was adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Edward Hope, Jr., $17; J. W. Kamps, $5 75; C. Meyer, $30 50.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of Robert Harriott. $25 50.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Of John H. Lyon, $292 60; Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, $509 10 and $200 45.

Referred to committee on printing.

Of George S. Gee, $2.

Referred to committee on stationery and supplies.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted, the rules being first suspended, on motion of Alderman Reardon:

Resolved, That the next regular meeting of this Board will be held on Tuesday, October 3, 1871, at eight o'clock P. M., and that when this Board adjourns it will adjourn to meet at said time.

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner is hereby requested to cause the removal of obstructions caused by large pieces of rock from Monmouth street, between Pavonia avenue and North First street.

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be requested to cause the sunken lot on the north side of Grand street, between Varick street and Jersey avenue, to be filled up level with the street at as early a day as possible, the same being a great nuisance on account of stagnant water.

By Alderman Joyce, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be hereby requested to remove or cause to be removed the car wheels from Greene street, between Wayne and Steuben streets, which are obstructing the sidewalk and streets, and are dangerous to the lives of the pedestrians who pass by said sidewalk at night.

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company to lay a turnout of iron rails, for the use of their cars, in Jersey avenue, between York and Grand streets; also one in York street, near Grove street, each of said turnouts not to exceed two hundred feet in length; and that said company is hereby further authorized to lay one or two tracks upon the street or sidewalk on the southerly side of Grand street, between Jersey avenue and Mill Creek bridge; the said turnouts and tracks to be removed as soon as the improvement in Grand street, from Mill Creek to Van Vorst street shall be completed, the work of laying said tracks and turnouts to be done under the supervision of the committee on streets.

Resolved, That all action had August 15, 1871, by his board in granting permission to said Railroad Co. to lay rails for temporary use during improvement of Grand street, be, and is hereby rescinded.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the vacant lot on Paterson street near Pearce avenue and adjoining public school, which lot is covered with stagnant water, be, and is hereby declared a nuisance, and the street commissioner is hereby requested to proceed in the manner defined in the third and fourth sections of the ordinance declaring nuisances, and providing for their abatement, passed August 15, 1871, to effectually abate said nuisance and enforce the prescribed penalties.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That the police commissioners be requested to report to this Board, the name and place of business of every person licensed to keep an inn and tavern, or restaurant, who may keep a disorderly house, and that this Board do hereby pledge themselves to promptly revoke the license of any person against whom a charge of this nature may be made and sustained.

By Alderman Savage, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to proceed in such manner as they may deem expedient in relieving the meadow north of Newark avenue and west of Brunswick street, from the drainage from sewers in South First and other streets, in the former city of Hudson, and if no power exist in the charter authorizing any action by said Board that they be requested to report what action will abate the nuisance.

By Alderman Steenken:

Whereas, applications to keep inns and taverns and restaurants to the number of six hundred and eighteen have been received, and the chief of police did report, May 16, 1871, seven hundred and forty-one (741) as the correct number then ascertained of places where intoxicating liquors were sold in Jer-

sey City, and this board having done everything in their power to compel every person in the city engaged in this particular business to make application for a license; therefore,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this board in justice to those who have made application, and in the strict enforcement of the law, it becomes the duty of the Police Commissioners and they are hereby requested to proceed in the manner defined by law to enforce the penalty against every person in this city who is at present or may hereafter be engaged in violating the ordinance regulating inns and taverns and restaurants and the sale of spirituous and intoxicating liquors.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the resolution was amended by adding the following words: "and that they be requested to cause all places where liquors are sold to be closed on the Sabbath day."

The resolution, as amended, was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Alderman Joyce:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Edwards, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, and Steenken.

Nay—Alderman Wandle.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the board proceeded to the appointment of a constable for the first district, to fill existing vacancy.

D. B. King was nominated by Alderman Wandle.

John O. Sullivan was nominated by Alderman Joyce.

Two ballotings were had, which resulted as follows, Aldermen Edwards and Reardon acted as tellers:

FIRST BALLOTING.

D. B. King received six votes.

John O. Sullivan received two votes.

D. C. King received one vote.

SECOND BALLOTING.

D. B. King received seven votes.

John O. Sullivan received two votes.

Whereupon D. B. King, having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed a constable for the first aldermanic district.

(Alderman Reardon obtained leave and retired.)

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, reported by the committee on laws and ordinances August 15, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"A further supplement to an ordinance entitled 'an ordinance to authorize the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad company to lay a single track of iron rails in certain streets of Jersey City' approved December 13, 1859."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Edwards, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, reported by the committee on laws and ordinances August 15, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance to regulate blasting."

The first section was amended, on motion of Alderman Edwards, by striking out the word "green" where it occurs before the word "timbers"

The ordinance as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Edwards, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

Nays—None.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Manhattan Telegraph Company are hereby required to paint the poles erected by said company, along Washington and Webster avenues, within twenty days after receipt of a copy of this resolution.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to cause street lamps to be erected at the following named places:

One, cor. of Terrace ave. and Reserve ave; one, cor. of Pacific st. and Germania ave; one, cor. of Thorne st. and Columbia ave; one, cor. of Tonnele ave. and Lundy Lane.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the Board then adjourned. JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, October 3, 1871, at 8 o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Alderman Reardon was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Alderman Holden, Joyce and Savage.

The minutes of regular meeting of September 5, and adjourned regular meeting of September 6, 1871, were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC,

Petitions, etc., were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Peter McElroy, for transfer of his junk license from 315 Railroad avenue, Second District, to 124 Provost street, same district.

Granted, on motion of Aldermen Steenken.

Petition of Charles F. Hoberg, for transfer of his restaurant license from Palisade avenue, between Franklin and Hutton streets, Fourth District, to Palisade avenue, between Broad and Liberty streets, same district.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

Communication from R. B. Seymour, police justice, recommending the revocation of restaurant license granted to Thomas Foster.

Alderman Smith moved:

That the license granted August 15, 1871, to Thomas Foster, to keep a restaurant at 317 Newark avenue, Second District be revoked.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

Petition of Joseph Henning and others, for removal of obstruction consisting of an inclosure built in front of house on the southeast corner of Greene and Sussex streets, running out from said building about five feet five inches and used for the storage of barrels, boxes, &c.

Referred to committee on nuisances with power, on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petitions of John Nagel, for permission to erect a sign in front of store on Bergen Point plankroad, between Communipaw avenue and Grand street; and of John Smith for permission to erect an awning in front of 351 South Eighth street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petitions of Benjamin Hill and Seth A. Craig, for licenses to vend merchandise other than meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, etc. Referred to committee on trade licenses.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

First District—John Larkin, 18 Morris street; Daniel Cleary, 43 Newark avenue; W. R. Lyon, 11 Grand street; Patrick Doyle, 51 Newark avenue; John McInnes, 45 Newark avenue.

Second District—Patrick Green, No. 38 Railroad avenue; Peter Connell, No. 318 Newark avenue; John W. S. Aspell, Erie depot, near Long Dock; Jacob Southeimer, No. 360 South Eighth street; Frederick Behrons, No. 209 Greene street; Henry Eckell, No. 351 South Eighth street.

Third District—John Herschel, 134 Newark avenue.

Fourth District—Philip Ferber, Warren street, between Summit and Pierce avenues; George Gleistein, 430 Montgomery avenue; Thomas H. Heslin, Beacon, near Montgomery avenue; John Rooney, corner Bergenwood avenue and Jay street; William Crosby, Madison avenue, near Columbia street; Otto Cumann, North street, near west, St. Paul's avenue; M. C. Brown, Newark, near Grand avenue; John Teitgen, corner Lincoln street and Union Place; Martin Stanton, Clinton, near Oakland avenue; James Mogna, Madison, near Bergenwood avenue; Daniel O'Brien, Montgomery avenue, near Waverly street; Frederick Hundt, Newark, near Grand avenue; August Feolger, corner Terrace avenue and Newark street; Frederick Fraenheim, Clinton street, near Franklin avenue.

Fifth District—Joseph P. Curtis, Hoboken, near Five Corners.

Sixth District—Michael Gill, Bergen Point plankroad, opposite Bramhall avenue; Valentine Puster, 221 Railroad avenue. Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petitions of Jacob Wirtz, Jacob Wirtz, Cornelius O. Driscoll, William Mallet and Jacob Brownetz, for a license to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables. Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Edward Hope, Jr., for seventeen dollars for coffins for indigent poor.

By Committee on Printing:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John H. Lyon, for $292 60 for advertising.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, for $509 10 for advertising.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, for $200 45 for job printing.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Times Printing Company, for $163 80 for advertising ordinances.

By Committee on Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of George S. Gee, for $2 for repairing chairs in city clerk's office.

The resolution was adopted.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The report of Robert Harriot, poundkeeper, for quarter ending September 20, 1871, and of Abram Van Houten, assistant poundkeeper, for quarter ending September 30, 1871, were presented, received and ordered filed.

The city clerk presented reports of the approval by his Honor the Mayor, Sept. 8, 1871, of the ordinances passed September 6, 1871, to regulate blasting, and a further supplement to the ordinance authorizing the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company to lay a single track of iron rails in certain streets of Jersey City.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license be granted to Frederick Schumann to keep a restaurant at 72 Essex street, in the First District.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Second District: Thomas Sheehan, Hudson avenue, near Mill road; Patrick McDonald, 275 Newark avenue; John Mahoney, cor. North Ninth and Prospect streets; Mr. S. Radhs, cor. South Seventh and Colgate streets; William A. Martin, cor. Steuben and Warren streets; Martin McLaughlin, cor. North Seventh and Prospect streets; Patrick Hogan, cor. North Seventh and Prospect streets; John Pittschau, 239 Prospect street; John McGovern, 350 South Eighth street; Jacob Stumpf, 270 Railroad avenue; James Roche, 326 South Seventh street; John Cummings, Cornelison near Hudson avenue; Patrick Daley, North Second street, between Monmouth and Brunswick streets; Henry Von Glahn, 415 South Eighth street.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John Bischoff to keep a restaurant at 104 Coles street, in the Third District.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fourth District: Thomas Greis, Beacon avenue near Columbia avenue; Nicholas Kellers, corner Bergenwood and Beacon avenues; Oscar Siegmund, 490 Palisade avenue; Thomas F. Cone, corner Bergenwood and West St. Paul's avenues; Thomas Powers, West Newark avenue, near Bleecker street; George Keogel, Grove street near Summit avenue.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Joseph Foran to keep a restaurant at 7 Crawford street in the Fifth District.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Sixth district: Martin O'Day, Bergen Point Plankroad, opposite Bramhall avenue; John Lerman, Bergen Point Plankroad, near Newark railroad.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, eight in number.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses, to whom was referred, August 1, 1871, the petition of John Kerrigan for a restaurant license, presented an adverse report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That a licence to keep a restaurant at Grove street, near Jackson avenue, Sixth District, be not granted to John Kerrigan, and that the City Clerk be requested to notify the Board of Police Commissioners of this action of the board.

The report was received, and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred, September 6, 1871, the petition of John S. Sutphen for removal of encroachments from east side of Bergen avenue, &c., presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner is hereby authorized to cause all encroachments on the sidewalk on the east si e of Bergen avenue, between Fairview and Bowden avenues, to be removed to the width prescribed by law.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred, September 6, 1871, the petition of William McCarron for permission to construct vault, &c., presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to William McCarren to place vaults under sidewalk in front of building southwest corner of South Eighth and Grove street.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred, September 6, 1871, the petition of Anton Schick for permission to erect an awning, &c., presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permiss on is hereby granted during the pleasure of this board to Anton Schick to erect an awning in front of store corner Bergenwood and Clinton avenue, provided the same does not interfere with public travel.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred, September 6, 1871, the petition of James Gough for permission to erect an awning, &c., presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted during the pleasure of this board, to James Gough, to erect an awning in front of his premises, 227 Grove street, provided the same does not interfere with public travel.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

Alderman Edwards from the committee on streets returned the petitions referred to said committee Sept. 6, 1871, of W. E. Barnes and others to have Westside avenue drained by the opening of a brook or natural water course at the junction of Sip and Westside avenue; and of F. C. Gillous for abatement of nuisance caused by hollow place in Thorne street, between Summit and Grand avenues.

The petitions were referred to the Board of Public Works.

A petition of John Higgins and others for removal of stable owned by Thomas Scott, from centre of South Fourth street, 100 feet east of Prospect street, referred to the committee on streets, Aug. 1, 1871, was returned by the chairman of said committee, a similar application having been made to the Board of Public Works.

The petition was ordered filed.

(Alderman Reardon appeared and took his seat.)

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco), from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to William E. Waterman on his paying the license fees

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Albert Wilson, William Dexter, Thomas Holden, Jacob Ankner, Patrick Shay, William Burke and Martin Gibbons, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at Palisade avenue, between Franklin and Hutton streets, in the Fourth District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to James Rouan, on his paying the license fees.

The resolutions were severally adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of John A. Duncan $168 95; Totten Bros., $129 60; Coykendall Bros., $144 75; C. E. Bliss & Co., $20 15; Buerh & Marquart, $36; Paul Schober, $85 50; Drayton & Durant, $141 07; J. A. French, $13; R. G. Dudley, $36 93; Herman Broms, $62 35; Edward Hope, Jr., $20; E. S. Ashley, $30. Referred to committee on alms.

Of W. B. Shafer, $145 83. Referred to committee on baths and armories.

Of Robert Harriot, $72 and $21; George Hausche, $28 50. Referred to committee on nuisances.

Times Printing Company, $65 and $172 20. Referred to committee on printing.

Of Potter & Schermerhorn, $76 62 and $35; Charles A. Woolsey, $5. Referred to committee on stationery and supplies.

Of David W. Meeker, $400. Referred to committee on streets.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the objections presented September 6, 1871, from His Honor, the Mayor, to approving ordinance passed August 15, 1871, entitled "An ordinance prescribing penalties," were taken from the table for consideration.

Alderman Smith moved "that the ordinance do now pass notwithstanding the objections of His Honor the Mayor."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken.

Yea—President Farrier.

Nays—Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Mandeville, Reardon, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Mandeville:

Resolved, That the committee on baths and armories are hereby authorized to procure furniture for armory and rooms used by militia at 27 and 29 Newark avenue at an expense not to exceed five hundred dollars.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Mandeville, Smith and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Reardon, Steenken and Stier.

By Alderman Mandeville, and adopted:

Resolved, That the hour of meeting of this Board, until its further order, shall be 7½ o'clock, P M.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer, in favor of the following named, for salaries for September, 1871, viz:

John E. Scott, city clerk, $333 33; S. D. Ellis, marshal, $83 33; James H. Love, collector, $291 66; Russel G. Dudley, Overseer of Poor $83 33.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That permission be granted to John B. Oltman to erect such poles from the corner of Jersey avenue and Montgomery street to the station-house as may be necessary to fulfil his contract with the Board of Works wherein the said Oltman is obliged to erect a line of telegraph for the fire department between the points named, in return for the use of the fire department poles between other points for the service of the Board of Works.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby requested to cause the owner of lot 4, block 4, Montgomery avenue, between Franklin and Colden streets, to fill or fence the excavation in front of said lot adjoining the sidewalk, which excavation was caused by the blasting of rocks, and is extremely dangerous to travel.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, Oct. 17, 1871, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

In the absence of the President at the hour of meeting, the board was called to order by the City Clerk.

Present—Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, and Steenken.

President Farrier and Aldermen Reardon, Stier and Wandle were absent at the calling of the roll but subsequently appeared and took their seats.

On motion of Alderman Smith Alderman Holden was appointed President pro tempore.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 3rd inst. were approved without reading on motion of Alderman Bumsted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc, were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Petition of William Munzing, for transfer of restaurant license from West Newark avenue, Fourth District, to Newark avenue, near Summit street, Fifth District. Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

Petition of J. J. Youlin, for permission to construct a bow window in building southeast corner of Barrow and York streets. Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

Joseph Feeslar, 133 Morgan street, Second District; John D. Caulfield, 350 South Sixth street, Third District; Robert F. Laird, Carlton avenue, between Grand and Bergenwood avenue, Fourth District. Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of John Ahern and others, for such action as will cause the Morris and Essex Railroad Company to fence their track and place a flagman at Jersey avenue and North Fifth street crossing. Referred to committee on railroads.

Petition of Peter F. Wortendyke for permission to erect a sign across sidewalk west side of Palisade avenue, 75 feet north of Wayne street. Referred to committee on streets.

FOR JUNK SHOP LICENSES.

James Collins, southwest corner of Brunswick and south Fourth streets. Second district; James Collins, Oakland, near St. Paul's avenue, Fourth district. Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of George W. Carter, John Fahl and Joseph D. Allen for license to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables. Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Joseph Gurau for a license to vend cigars and tobacco. Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of Edward Abrahams and Henry H. Baker for licenses to vend merchandize other than meat, fish, &c. Referred to committee on trade licenses.

(Alderman Stier appeared and took his seat.)

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley for thirty dollars for board of horse for September, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Herman Burns for $62 35, for groceries for out-door poor for September, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Burch & Marquart for $35, for meat for out-door poor for September, 87 .

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of C. E. Bliss & Co. for $20 15, for groceries for out-door poor for September, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Coykendall Bros. for $144 75, for groceries for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of John A. Duncan for $168 95, for groceries for out-door poor for September, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Drayton & Durant for $141 07, for bread.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of R. G. Dudley for $16 93, for transportation of paupers.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. A. French for $13 for shoes for out-door poor for September, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Edward Hope, Jr., for $20 for coffins for alms department.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. W. Kamps for $5 75 for one ton of coal, February 21, 18 .

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of C. Meyer for $30 50, for groceries for out-door poor from December 16, 1870, to February 16, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Paul Schober for $85 50, for meal for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Totten Bros. for $129 60, for meat for out-door poor for August and September, 871.

By committee on baths and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer for $145 83 for rent of armory for September, 1871.

By committee on nuisances:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Robt. Harriot for $72, for destroying 144 dogs from June 8 to June 24, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of George Hausche for $28 50 for destroying dogs from June 21 to August 29, 187 .

By Committee on Printing:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Times Printing Co. for $172 20 for advertising ordinances.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Times Printing Co. for $65 for printing ordinances.

By Committee on Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Potter & Schermerhorn for $76 62 for supplies, &c.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Potter & Schermerhorn for $35 for one ensign.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Charles A. Woolsey for $5 for one set halliards.

By Committee on Streets:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of David W. Meeker for $400 on account of maps for re-naming streets.

The resolutions were adopted.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk laid before the board the following communication from His Honor the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office on the 13th inst., and the same was read, received and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, Oct. 10, 1871.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen:—I herewith return the following resolution passed at your last meeting:

Resolved, That the committee on baths and armories are hereby authorized to procure furniture for armory and rooms used by Militia, at 27 and 29 Newark avenue, at an expense not to exceed five hundred dollars.

I cannot find in the city charter any authority to appropriate money for the purpose named in the resolution. I therefore beg leave to return the same without my approval. Very respectfully yours, &c.,

CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, the communication was laid on the table.

A report of William C. White, Poundmaster for district formerly known as city of Bergen, from June 12 to September 20, 1871, was presented, received and ordered filed.

The city clerk presented a report of the filing in his office on the 6th inst., of the resignation of Harold Henwood as a member of the Board of Education. The report was received and ordered filed.

(President Farrier and Alderman Wandle appeared and took their seats)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on laws and ordinances verbally reported through Alderman Smith, its chairman, the following entitled ordinance relative to petition of J. J. Youlin, referred to said committee at this meeting

"An ordinance for the relief of John J. Youlin, in construction of a bow window in building southeast corner of Barrow and York streets."

On motion of Alderman Smith, the petition was ordered filed and the ordinance was laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the First District: John McInnes 45 Newark avenue; Patrick Doyle 51 Newark avenue; W. R. Lyon 11 Grand street; Daniel Cleary 43 Newark avenue; John Larkin 18 Morris street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Second District: Henry Eckell 351 South Eighth street; Frederick Behrens 209 Greene street; Jacob Soritheimer 360 South Eight hstreet; John W. S. Aspell Erie Depot near Long Dock; Peter Connell 318 Newark avenue; Patrick Green 38 Railroad avenue.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John Herschell to keep a restaurant at 134 Newark avenue, Third District.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fourth District: Frederick Frawnheim, Clinton street, near Franklin avenue; August Frolger, corner Terrace avenue and Newark street; Frederick Hundt, Newark, near Grand avenue; Daniel O'Brien, Montgomery avenue, near Waverly street; James M yna. Madison, near Bergenwood avenue; Martin Stanton, Clinton, near Oak and avenue; John Tielgen, corner Lincoln street and Union place; M. C Brown, Newark, near Grand avenue; Otto Cumann, Ninth street, near West St Paul's avenue, William Crosby, Madison avenue, near Columbia street; John Rooney, corner Bergenwood avenue and Jay street; Thomas H Heslin, Peacon, near Montgomery avenue; George Gleistein, 430 Montgomery avenue; Philip Ferber, Warren street, between Summit and Pierce avenues.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Joseph P. Curtis, to keep a restaurant at Hoboken avenue, near Five Corners, in the Fifth District.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places, in the Sixth District: Valentine Pustet, 221 Railroad avenue; Michael Gill, Bergen Point plankroad, opposite Bramhall avenue.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandevill, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

The committee on streets reported the following resolutions on petitions referred to said committee on the 3d inst.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted, during the pleasure of this Board, to John Smith to erect an awning in front of premises 351 South Eighth street, provided the same does not interfere with public travel.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted, during the pleasure of this Board, to John Nagel to place a sign on Bergen Point plankroad, between Communipaw avenue and Grand street, provided the same does not interfere with public travel.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions, in application heretofore refered to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions dispose of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Jacob Brownett, William Mollet, Cornelius O'Driscoll, Jacob Wirtz and Jacob Wirtz, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, kind in -wood, cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Seth A. Craig and Benjamin Hill, on their paying the license fees.

The resolutions were adopted.

Alderman Reardon appeared and took his seat.

Under a suspension of the rules, a petition of Samuel Ferran and others, for a reconsideration of the action had by the Board of Aldermen on the 3d inst., in revoking a license granted to Thomas Foster to keep a restaurant at No. 317 Newark avenue, Second district, was presented.

Alderman Reardon moved "that the prayer of the petition be granted."

Alderman Smith moved as an amendment "that the petition be referred to committee on liquor licenses."

The amendment was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Alderman Reardon.

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken Stier, and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Joyce and Reardon.

The motion, as amended, was then declared adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of J. W. Harrison. $182.45; Robert M. Kashow, $18.00; A. B. Reynolds; $12.05.

Referred to committee on stationary and supplies.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Mandeville, and adopted:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer, for $145.83 for rent of Armory 27 and 29 Newark ave. for August, 1871.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Whereas, in the opinion of the City Attorney it becomes the province of the several boards of the city to look after the offices in the City Hall of all appointees from their several boards; therefore

Resolved, That the committee on stationery and supplies are hereby requested to confer with the appropriate committees of the several boards occupying rooms in the City Hall, and with full power to arrange for the cleaning and warming of the several rooms therein, and for purchase of fuel.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby requested to proceed in the manner required by law, to cause to be abated within thirty days from date of notice the nuisance caused by stagnant water on the five vacant lots on the northerly side of Waverly street, about one hundred feet east of Montgomery avenue, and known on city map as lots 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, in block 708, assessed for 1871 to Pollock & Co.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the following named, for salaries for October, 1871, when due, viz: John E. Scott, city clerk, $332 34; S. D. Ellis, marshal $83 34; James H. Love, collector, $291 67; Russel G. Dudley, overseer of poor, $83 34.

By Alderman Wandle, and adopted:

Resolved, That the city attorney is hereby requested to furnish this board with his opinion, in writing, as to the power of the Board of Aldermen to procure furniture for city armory, in addition to paying rent.

By Alderman Manderville, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby authorized and requested to take such action as they may deem necessary for the immediate abatement of nuisance, caused by the collection of rain water at and near the neighborhood adjacent to the intersection of Sip and Westside avenues, in the Fifth District.

Under a suspension of the rules, a petition of Michael Kelly, for the drainage of lands adjacent to Westside avenue, south of Broadway, was presented, and, on motion of Alderman Wandle, referred to Board of Public Works.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1871, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Smith and Steenken.

Absent—Aldermen Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Stier and Wandle.

Less than a quorum being present, the President declared the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, November 14, 1871, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Hoffen, Reardon, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle

Alderman Joyce was absent at the calling of the the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Aldermen Mandeville and Savage.

The minutes of the regular meetings of October 17 and November 7, 1871, were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

First District—Martin Kelly, 95 York street; Masters & Caldwell, 58 Washington street.

Second District—John Galvin, 366 South Eighth street; Theodore Weiss, West Grand street, near Hudson avenue.

Third District—George Rooke, 173 Newark avenue.

Fourth District—A. Boucher, Grace street, between Summit and Montgomery avenues; James Flanagan, corner of Montgomery and Manhattan avenues; Louis B. Gunderman, 328 Palisade avenue; Fred Seehause, Palisade avenue.

Fifth District—George Watson, Monticello avenue, between Grand street and Harrison avenue; Matthew Geoghegan, Monticello avenue opposite Emory street; D. J. Murphy, northwest corner of Palisade and Hoboken avenues; Theodore Lemmue, 179 Newark avenue.

Sixth District—Michael Donahoe, Grove street, between Bergen and Jackson avenues; William Lawless, Bergen Point plankroad, near Carteret avenue; R. F. Driscoll Grove street, between Ocean avenue and Vine street.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

(Alderman Joyce appeared and took his seat.)

Petition of the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company, by W. Keeney, President, for permission to salt their car tracks at the switches and turnouts when necessary during the winter seasons.

Referred to the committee on railroads.

Petition of Martin Lillis, for permission to erect an awning on Hoboken near Palisade avenue.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Samuel Martin, for permission to erect an awning in front of premises on Montgomery avenue near Van Vorst street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of William Brann, for permission to place a coal box in front of his store, corner of Brunswick and South Seventh streets.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Bernard Kaines, for transfer of junk license from Walnut street near Grand avenue, Fourth district, to Hoboken avenue, foot of hill, same district.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

FOR JUNK SHOP LICENSES.

Patrick Shay, corner of Oakland and Madison avenue, Fourth district; Edward Lawrence, Colden street, near Bergen avenue, Fourth district; John O'Connor, Montgomery avenue, near Waverly street, Fourth District.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of William Galvin, Wilham Casey and John O'Connor, for licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of Stephen McCarthy and Leonard Feinan, for licenses to vend merchandise other than meat, fish, &c.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Thomas Farrelly for a license as a public porter.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Christian Schreiber, for a license to vend cigars and tobacco.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims, heretofore referred, viz.:—

By committee on nuisances:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Robert Harriot, for $25 50, for destroying dogs, from Aug. 15 to Sep, 4, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Robert Harriot, for $21, for destroying 42 dogs at the public pounds.

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of A. B. Reynolds, for $12 05, for sundries for City Hall.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of R. M. Kashow for $18, for stationery.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John W. Harrison for $182 45, for stationery for city officers.

The resolutions were adopted.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

An opinion from the city attorney, as to the power of the Board of Aldermen to procure furniture for the city armory in addition to paying rent, was presented, setting forth that the board may, by ordinance, provide for, procuring not only a building, but also furniture for a city armory; and may, according to the provisions of the ordinance, procure such furniture.

The opinion was received and ordered filed.

A report from the street commissioner, setting forth that, pursuant to resolution, he has repaired South Third street, in which the Pavonia Horse Railroad Company had laid their rails, and the bills for making such repairs, amounting to $637 89, have been paid by the Board of Public Works, and the rails and ties removed from said street have been stored subject to the order of the Board of Aldermen; was presented, received and ordered file.

The City Clerk laid before the Board a summons in ejectment, issued by the Supreme Court at the suit of Æneas Fitzpatrick, to recover possession of lots numbered 78, 72 and 80 Grove street, in block 17, map of Claremont, in the former City of Bergen.

The summons was referred to the City Attorney.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Alderman Smith, from the committee on laws and ordinances, verbally reported the following entitled ordinances, viz:

An ordinance amending an ordinance entitled "An ordinance in relation to the sidewalks, public grounds and streets of Jersey City," passed July 18, 1871.

An ordinance to regulate the naming of the streets, avenues and public places in Jersey City.

The ordinances were received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board,

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolution on applications for restaurant licenses heretofore referred to said committee.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places: Joseph Feeslar, 133 Morgan street, Second district; John D. Caulfield, 350 South Sixth street, Third district; Robert F. Laird, Carlton avenue, between Grand and Bergenwood avenues, Fourth district.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken:

Ayes—All the members present, ten in number.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred, October 17, 1871, the petition of Peter F. Wortendyke, for permission to place a sign across sidewalk, &c., presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted, during the pleasure of this Board; to Peter F. Wortendyke, to place a sign across sidewalk west side of Palisade avenue, near Warren street, provided the same does not interfere with public travel.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee. The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license to vend cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Joseph Gurau, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to John

Fahl and George W. Carter, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco), from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Edward Abrahams and Henry B. Baker, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to keep junk shops at the following named places be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named parties on their paying the license fees.

James Collins, southwest corner Brunswick and South Fourth street, Second District; James Collins, Oakland avenue near St. Paul's avenue, Fourth District.

The resolutions were adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of E. S. Ashley, $35; Anness & Murray, $42 60; Herman Bruns, $46 10; Christian Kiatz, $30 30; Paul Schober, $81 60, and James Young, $33 90.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of Frederick Anness, $45 10, and Jersey City Gas Light Company, $259 06.

Referred to committee on stationery and supplies.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board took a recess for fifteen minutes for the purpose of examining claims,

On the reassembling of the Board the following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims received at this meeting;

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John Anglem for $11 40, for meat furnished overseer of the poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Coykendall Brothers for $143 36, for groceries furnished outdoor poor for October, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John A. Duncan for $136 01, for groceries for out-door poor, from Oct. 8 to Nov. 9, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Drayton & Durant for $113 08, for bread.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of R. G. Dudley for $28 97, for transportation of paupers, from Sept. 27 to Oct. 27, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasury in favor of Totten Bros. for $69, for meat for out-door poor, October, 1871.

By committee on baths and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer for $145 83, for rent of armory, 27 and 29 Newark avenue, for October, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company for $104 17, for use of drill room for D Co., 4th Regt., from April 20 to Oct. 1, 1871, five months at $250 per year.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley for $50, for rent of armory for Co. A, 4th Regt., for August, September and October, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasury in favor of F. Pratt for $100, for rent of armory for Co. B, 4th Regt, from May 1 to Nov. 1, 1871.

By committee on printing:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor John H. Lyon for $61 90, for advertising ordinances, &c.

Resolved, that a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Hudson County German Publication Association for $147 40, for advertising ordinances, &c.

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of A. W. Van Wiskle for $15, for two tons of coal for city hall, Nov. 8, 1871.

By committee on streets:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Walter C Meeker for $125, for services rendered to Nov. 7, 1871, in the naming of streets, avenues and public places.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented Oct. 17, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz.: An ordinance for the relief of John J. Youlin, in construction of a bow window in building southeast corner of Barrow and York streets. The ordinance was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Ayes—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden Joyce, Reardon, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

Absent—Aldermen Mandeville and Savage.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to cause proper gas connections to be made with all street lamps in Jersey City west of Provost street and north of North Second street, except where present made.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby requested to notify the owners of the lots on the line of the water course in the block bounded by Washington, Clinton, and Franklin avenues, and Hutton street, to open forthwith said water course a sufficient width to allow of a free flow of the water into the sewer in Franklin avenue; and if not complied with within a reasonable time, that said officer be authorized to proceed in the manner required by law to compel the said owners to comply with the notice aforesaid.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Whereas, By resolution adopted June 6, 1871, certain buildings located in North Eleventh street, near Prospect street, were ordered removed by the 1st day of October, 1871, and said order having been disregarded; therefore

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to cause the immediate removal of all obstructions from North Eleventh street, near Prospect street, in the manner defined by law.

By Alderman Joyce, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be requested to abate the nuisance caused by throwing ashes, garbage and all kinds of nuisance in the vacant lots located on the south side of Bay street, between Provost street and Prospect street, said nuisance being detrimental to the health of the inhabitants of said location, and would suggest to fence or cause to be fenced the said lots.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby requested to cause notice to be served on the North Hudson County Railway Company, requiring said Company, within ten days from date of said notice, to move their rails from sidewalk in Palisade avenue, and to restore the sidewalks on said avenue to the condition in which they found them prior to shifting their tracks, to admit of the construction of a sewer; and if said notice be not complied with, that said officer cause the work to be done and report the cost, for collection, by the city attorney from said railroad company.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby authorized to sell at public auction, under the direction of the committee on streets of this Board, the rails and ties removed from South Third street, laid by the Pavonia Horse Railroad Company and deposit the proceeds of said sale in the city treasury, subject to the further order of this Board.

By Alderman Holden, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on laws and ordinances are requested to take into consideration the recent accident upon the New Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company's road, at the crossing of Newark avenue, with a view to the better government of trains of that company while crossing the various streets in Jersey City.

By Alderman Reardon:

Whereas, It has come to the knowledge of this board that doubts have been expressed as to the right of David C. Joyce to occupy a seat as an Alderman by reason of his not having been duly qualified at the time of his election; and

Whereas, To sustain the proper dignity of this Board, no legal doubt should exist to the detriment of the right of any member; therefore,

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to investigate and report to this Board whether David C. Joyce, now an Alderman from the Second District, was at the time of his election duly qualified to hold said office

Alderman Joyce presented his certificate of naturalization, which was read by the city clerk.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, the resolution was amended by striking out the words "a special committee of three be appointed to," and inserting in their stead the words "the committee on laws and ordinances."

The resolution, as amended, was adopted.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer for payment of salaries for November, 1871, when due, viz:

John E. Scott, city clerk, $333 33; James H. Love, collector, $201 66; Samuel D. Ellis, marshal, $83 33; R. G. Dudley, overseer of poor, $83 33.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, November 21, 1871, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Ferrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle

Absent—Aldermen Edwards and Mandeville.

The minutes of regular meeting of the 14th inst. were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Henry Convery, for transfer of his restaurant license from Junction, Communipaw and Palisade avenues and Bergen Point plankroad, to corner of Grand and State streets, Second District.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

Frank G. Hall, Bergen avenue, near Griffith street, Fourth District; George Hashagen, Myrtle avenue, corner Vreeland street, Sixth District.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of L. Frey and others, to have building, 197 Grand street removed, as the same is considered a nuisance, presented to Board of Public Works, November 14 1871, and referred to Board of Aldermen.

Referred to committee on nuisances.

Petition of Joseph Helfrich for a license to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of William Carroll and William Schellenschlaeger for licenses to vend merchandise other than fish, etc.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz.:

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley, for $35 one month's horse keeping and harness.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Herman Burns for $46 10, for groceries for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Paul Schiber for $81 60, for meat for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of James Young for $38 90, for meat for out-door poor.

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Jersey City Gas Light Company for $215 98, for gas for City Hall from July 1st to October 1st, 1871, and that the balance of claim of said Company be referred to committee on baths and armories.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Frederick Anness for $11 30 for repairing stove in city clerk's office, and that the balance of claim, $33 80, be referred to the Board of Finance and Taxation for payment.

The resolutions were adopted.

A claim of Anness & Murray, $42 60, for stove, &c., referred to the committee on alms, November 14, 1871, was returned by said committee and referred to the committee on stationery and supplies.

A claim of Christian Kratz, $30 30, for services as assistant poor master, from May 1 to May 23, 1871, referred to the committee on alms on the 14th instant, was returned by said committe with an adverse report thereon.

The report was received, and the claim ordered filed.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A copy of a concurrent resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works November 16, 1871, and approved by the Mayor on the 20th instant, that the whole expense of the widening and straightening of Newark avenue should be borne by the city at large and paid by general tax, accompanied by a copy of petition of G. P. Howell and others, and map filed therewith, November 14, 1871, was presented, received, and, on motion of Alderman Smith, laid upon the table.

The city clerk presented a report of the approval by his honor the Mayor, on the 15th inst., of the ordinance passed on the 14th inst., for relief of John J. Toulin in construction of bow windows in building southeast corner Barrow and York streets.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on laws and ordinances, who were requested, by resolution adopted on the 14th inst., to take into consideration the recent accident on the New Jersey Railroad, at the Newark avenue crossing, &c., presented a report, therein settingforth that the committee are of the opinion that said accident was causd by the incompetency and negligence of the gate tender, for which the New Jersey Railroad is responsible, in employing men too old and physically incapable to perform the duties, and by the overcrowding of the horsecars, for which the Jersey City and Bergen Horse Railroad Company is responsible; the following resolutions accompanying the report:

Resolved, That to better protect the lives of the traveling public, the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company are hereby requested to cause two cars to start from the ferry for Hudson City route on the arrival of every ferryboat, between the hours of five and seven o'clock in the evening, and to prevent the carrying of more than a sufficient number to occupy the seats in any one car.

Resolved, That the New Jersey Railroad Company be requested to cause a station to be made at Summit street, or some other convenient point, to accommodate the increased travel to and from the ferry and upper portion of the city.

The report was received.

Alderman Holden moved to amend the second resolution by adding the following words: "And that said company be requested to employ additional help to prevent the passage of horse cars or people when trains are approaching street crossings."

The amendment was accepted, and the resolutions were then adopted

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named, to keep restaurants at the following named places in the First District: Martin Kelly, 95 York street; Masters & Caldwell, 58 Washington street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Second District: John Galvin, 366 South Eighth street; Theodore Weiss, West Grand street, near Hudson avenue

Resolved, That a license be granted to George Rooke to keep a restaurant at 173 Newark avenue, in the Third District.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places, in the Fourth District: A. Boucher, Grace street, between Summit and Montgomery avenues; James Flanagan, corner Montgomery and Manhattan avenues; Louis B. Gunderman, 328 Palisade avenue; Fred Siehause, Palisade avenue.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places, in the Fifth District: George Watson, Monticello avenue, between Grand street and Harrison avenue; Matthew Geoghegan, Monticello avenue, opposite Emory street; D. J. Murphy, northwest corner of Hoboken and Palisade avenues; Theodore Lemmerz, 179 Newark avenue.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Sixth district: Michael Donahue, Grove street, between Bergen and Jackson avenues; William Lawless, Bergen Point plankroad, near Cartaret avenue; R. F. Driscoll, Grove street, between Ocean avenue and Vine street.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, ten in number.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolution on application heretofore referred to said committee:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City) be in-

sued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Stephen McCarthy and Leonard Finnen on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to vend cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Christian Schreiber on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license as a public porter be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Thomas Farrelly on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to keep junk shops at the following named places be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named persons on their paying their license fees: Patrick Shea, corner Oakland and Madison avenues, Fourth District; Edward Lawrence, Colden street near Bergen avenue, Fourth District; John O'Connor, Montgomery avenue near Waverly street, Fourth District.

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to William Galvin, William Casey and John O'Connor on their paying the license fees.

The resolutions were adopted

Alderman Bumsted, chairman of the committee on stationery and supplies, verbally reported, that, in compliance with a previous resolution, he has conferred with the appropriate committees of the several boards occupying apartments in the City Hall, and has made all arrangements necessary for the heating and cleaning of said building.

The report was accepted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims of C. W. Corduan, $5 40, Potter & Scherrerhorn, $77 30, and Joseph Seals, $96, were presented and referred to the committee on stationery and supplies.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to cause a bridge stone crosswalk, to be laid across Pavonia avenue at the east side of Provost street.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board took a recess of fifteen minutes to examine the map and petition received with resolution from Board of Public Works concerning the widening of Newark avenue.

During the recess Alderman Stier retired.

On the reassembling of the Board, on motion of Alderman Smith, the concurrent resolution from the Board of Public Works was taken from the table.

The following resolutions in relation thereto were offered by Alderman Smith:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works Nov. 16, 1871, that the whole expense of the widening and straightening of Newark avenue as shown on map filed with petition of G. P. Howell and others, November 14, 1871, should be borne by the city at large, and paid by general tax, a copy of which petition and map was received at this meeting be and is hereby concurred in.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Board of Public Works

Alderman Reardon moved:

"That the whole matter be referred to the committee on streets, to report at the next meeting."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of Alderman Smith:

Ayes—Aldermen Reardon and Savage.

Nays—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

The resolutions were then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of Alderman Reardon:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Reardon and Savage.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, the objections presented Oct. 17, 1871, from His Honor the Mayor, to approving resolution adopted Oct. 3 1871, authorizing committee on baths and armories to procure furniture for armory and rooms used by militia, at 27 and 29 Newark avenue, at an expense not to exceed $500, were taken from the table for consideration.

Alderman Bumsted moved:

"That the resolution do now pass, notwithstanding the objections of His Honor the Mayor."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, eight affirmative votes being required:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Joyce and Reardon.

On motion of Alderman Smith the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, November 28, 1871, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Reardon, Smith and Steinken.

Absent—Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Stier and Wandle.

Less than a quorum being present, the President declared the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber Tuesday, November 28, 1871, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Reardon, Smith and Steenken.

Absent—Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Savage, Stier and Wandle.

Less than a quorum being present the President declared the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, December 5, 1871, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meetings of November 21 and 28, 1871, were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disproved of as follows:—

Petition of J. H. Bonn, President of Jersey City and Hoboken Railroad Company for permission to salt their turnouts and curves on Grove street, during the winter season.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

James Meachim, Grand street near Hudson avenue, Second district; Henry Buck, corner Warren and Steuben streets, Second district; John Brown, Yale avenue between Mallory and Westside avenue, Sixth district; Charles E. Loeffler, Bramhall opposite Madison avenue, Sixth district.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses

Remonstrance of L. H. Cummings, of Cummings' Car Works, and others, against the granting of a restaurant license to John Brown, on Yale avenue, between Mallory and Westside avenues

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of Frank C. Hollins, for permission to place a sign in front of his office, northwest corner Pavonia avenue and Erie street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, by Samuel Sloan president, for removal of houses and stable from North Eleventh street.

Referred to committee on streets with power, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Petition of Joseph Sommerville for a license to keep a junk shop at 338 South Eighth street, Second District.

Referred to committee on trade licenses

Petition of John Higgins and Martin Haughcomb, for licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of Ernst Dege, John O'Neill, Michael Dosson and Samuel H. Isaacs, for licenses to vend merchandice other than meat, fish, &c.

Referred to Committee on trade licenses.

Petition of John Galvin for transfer of his restaurant license from 366 South Eighth street, to northeast corner North Fourth and Erie street, Second District.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

Petition of Edward Lawrence for transfer of junk shop licenses from Colden street, near Bergen avenue, Fourth District, to Pine street, between Grand and Germania avenues, same district.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Petition of Michael McCormick for transfer of his restaurant license from corner Oakland and Beacon avenues, to corner of Columbia and Beacon avenues, Fourth District.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz.:

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Anness & Murray for $39 85, for stove, pipe &c.

By committee on baths and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Jersey City Gas Light Company for $43 08, for gas consumed in drill room from July 1 to October 1, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of F. Pratt for $100, for rent of hall for Company B, Fourth Regiment, from November 1, 1870, to May 1, 1871.

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Potter & Schermerhorn for $77 30, for supplies.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of C. W. Corduan for $5 40, for keys, staples, &c.

The resolutions were adopted.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk laid before the Board a summons issued by the Chancellor of the State, at the suit of Julius George Kahl, received from the Sheriff of Hudson county on the 2d inst., and returnable on the 18th instant.

The summons was referred to the city attorney.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on alms, to whom was referred September 6, 1871, with power to contract with the lowest bidder, the proposals presented at said date for contract to furnish coal for out-door poor, &c., presented a report thereon, setting forth that after a long delay and frequent notice, George Watts, the lowest bidder, has failed to sign the contract, the report recommending that no further action be had in making any contract for said purpose, the following resolution accompanying the report:

Resolved, That the proposals presented, September 6, 1871, of George Watts, C. S. Steele and J. M. Woods & Co., for contract to furnish two hundred (200) tons of coal for distribution to out-door poor, be rejected.

The report was received and the resolution adopted

Alderman Steenken obtained leave and retired

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license be granted to Frank G. Hall to keep a restaurant at Bergen avenue, near Griffith street, in the Fourth district.

Resolved, That a license be granted to George Hasbagen to keep a restaurant at Myrtle avenue, corner Vreeland street, in the Sixth district.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken:

Ayes—All the members present, eleven in number.

The committee on nuisances, to whom was referred November 21, 1871, the petition of L. Frey and others, to have building 197 Grand street removed, &c., presented a report thereon, setting forth that the matter comes under the control of the Board of Fire Commissioners, as provided in the city charter.

The report was received and the petition referred to the Board of Fire Commissioners.

The committee on railroads to whom was referred, November 21, 1871, the petition of the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company for permission to salt their car tracks at the switches and turnouts, during the winter season, presented a report thereon setting forth "that an ordinance now in force imposes a penalty of $20 for every offence committed in doing the very thing for which permission is asked for," and returning the petition for such action as the Board may determine.

The report was received and the petition referred to the committee on laws and ordinances

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Joseph Helfrich, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city to William Carroll and Wm. Schellenschlaeger, on their paying the license fees.

The resolutions were adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Coykendall Bros., $194 60; Drayton and Durant, $132 12; A. W. Van Winkle, $97 88; John A. Duncan, $105 50; R. G. Dudley, $29 15; Buerk & Marquart, $86 40; E. S. Ashley, $40; Totten Bros., $97 50; John Headden, Jr., $30 88; Paul Schober, $99, and J. A. French, $32 50.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of W. B. Shafer, $145 83.

Referred to committee on baths and armories.

Of Frederick Anness, $24 50; A. B. Reynolds, $61 40; Smith & McCarthy, $9 99; C. W. Corduan, $8 25, and A. W. Van Winkle, $64 50.

Referred to committee on stationery and supplies.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By request of Alderman Reardon, the President announced that said Alderman desired the appointment in his stead of another member to serve on the committee on laws and ordinances in the investigation of the legality of the election of Alderman Joyce, from the Second District, whereupon the President appointed Alderman Holden, who declined and Alderman Savage was then appointed.

On motion of Alderman Smith the following entitled ordinance, reported by the committee on laws and ordinances Nov. 14, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration:

"An ordinance amending an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance in relation to the sidewalks, public grounds and streets of Jersey City.' Passed July 18, 1871." (Limiting speed for driving at eight instead of six miles per hour.)

On motion of Alderman Smith, the first section was amended by striking out all after the words "eight miles."

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon Savage, Smith, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the following entitled ordinance reported by the committee on laws and ordinances, November 14, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance te regulate the naming of the streets, avenues and public places in Jersey City."

Alderman Edwards, from the committee on streets, presented a map entiled "map of Jersey City, showing streets as re-named by the Board of Aldermen," made by D. W. Meeker, C. E., and dated November 6, 1871.

The first section of the ordinance was amended on motion of Alderman Smith, by inserting the date of presentation of map "December 5th, 1871."

The ordinance, as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

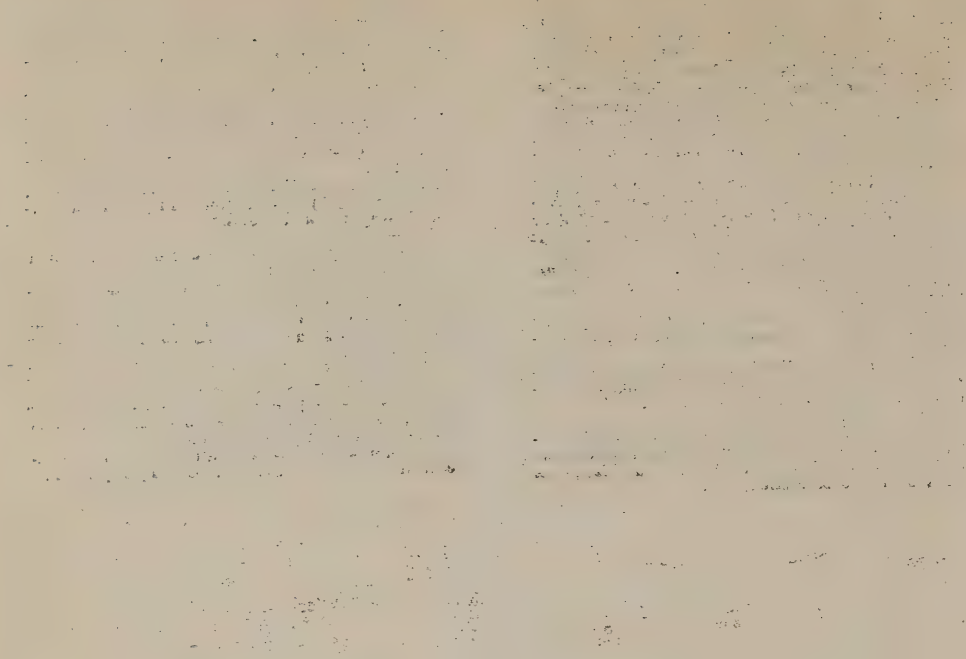
The following resolution was offered by Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committtee on streets are hereby authorized to advertise for proposals for painting of signs, both glass and wood, for all street crossings, and report the proposals to this Board for further action.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Bumsted, received, laid upon the table, and ordered printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz: "An ordinance to provide a city armory and to regulate the use of the same."

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.



Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, December 12, 1871, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Absent—Aldermen Edwards and Holden.

The minutes of regular meeting of 5th inst. were approved without reading on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Henry Hanks for permission to construct a bow window in building northwest corner of Pavonia avenue and West Hamilton place.

Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

Petition of the Pavonia Horse Railroad company for permission to salt the switches and turnouts on their road when necessary.

Referred to committee on law and ordinances.

For restaurant licenses, first district: Mrs. James Gathercole, 227 Grand street; John C. Bailey, corner Hudson and Grand streets; Edmond J. Koch, jr., 60 Montgomery street.

Referred to committe on liquor licenses.

Petitions of Joseph Marshall and Jacob Levy, for licenses to vend merchandise other than meat, fish, &c.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:

By committee on alms.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of E. S. Ashley, for $40 for board of horse of overseer of poor, for Nov. and for harness.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of Buern & Marquart, for $86,40 for meat, for out door poor, from Oct. 1 to Dec. 1, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of Ceyken Hall Bros., for $194,80 for groceries for out door poor, for Nov. 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Drayton & Durant for $132 12 for bread for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of John A. Duncan, for $105 50 for groceries for out door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of R. G. Dudley, for $ 9 15 for transportation of paupers.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of J. A. French, for $32 50 for shoes for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of John Headden, Jr., for $ 0 38 for coal for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Paul Schober for $99 for meat for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Totten Bros. for $97 50 for meat for out-door poor for November, 187 .

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of A. W. Van Winkle, for $97 88, for coal for out-door poor.

By committee on baths and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer, for $145 83, for rent of armory 27 and 29 Newark avenue, for November 1871.

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Frederick Anness, for $24 50, for repairing stoves &c., for City Hall.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of C. W. Corduan, for $8 25, for fitting keys, &c.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of A. B. Reynolds, for $61 40, for sundries for aldermanic chamber.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Smith & McCarthy, for $9 99, for making step ladder.

The resolutions were adopted.

A claim of Joseph Seals, $96, for sprinkling streets in front of City Hall and station house, referred to committee on stationery and supplies, November 21, 1871, was returned by said committee with a report thereon adverse to its payment.

The report was received and the claim ordered filed.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk presented reports of the approval by his Honor the Mayor, on the 7th instant, of the ordinance passed on the 5th instant, regulating the naming of the streets, avenues and public places in Jersey City, and amendatory to ordinance in relation to the sidewalks, public grounds and streets of Jersey City.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on laws and ordinances, to whom were referred on the 5th instant, the petitions of the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company and Jersey City and Hoboken Railroad Company, for permission to salt their turnouts, &c., during the winter season, presented a favorable report thereon, submitting the following entitled ordinance, the report recommending that the ordinance be laid upon the table and printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

An ordinance to amend and ordinance passed August 1, 1871, entitled, "An ordinance concerning snow and ice, and to prohibit the sprinkling of salt or other injurious matter upon the public streets of Jersey City."

The report was received, and its recommendation adopted.

Alderman Smith, from the committee on laws and ordinances, presented the following entitled ordinance, and the same was received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz.:

An ordinance to alter an ordinance entitled "An ordinance in relation to the sidewalks, public grounds and streets in Jersey City," passed July 18, 1871, approved July 21, 1871.

The committee on liquor licenses, to whom was referred, October 17, 1871, the petition of Samuel Ferran and others, for a reconsideration of the action had by the Board in revoking license granted to Thomas Foster to keep a restaurant at 317 Newark avenue, Second district, presented a report thereon, setting forth that said Thomas Foster, having been tried and convicted of keeping a disorderly house, the committee ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

The report was received and adopted.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places:

James Meachin, Grand street near Hudson avenue, Second District.

Henry Buck, corner Warren and Steuben streets, Second District.

Charles E. Loeffler, Bramhall opposite Madison avenue, Sixth District. The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the membess present, ten in number.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 338 South Eighth street in the Second District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Joseph Somerville on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise than, and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetable, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Samuel B. Isaacs, John O'Neill, Ernst Dege and Michael Dosson on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Martin Haughwont and John Higgins on their paying the license fees.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed

of as follows:

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted D. W. Meeker to remove from the files in the City Clerk's office the map recently adopted naming the streets, avenues and public places, Mr. Meeker, the maker of said map, desiring to have the same lithographed.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That the health inspector appointed by the Police Commissioners be requested to cause a prompt abatement of the nuisance now existing in Walnut street, commonly called "Harrington row" running west from Prospect reserve, between St. Paul's avenue and Van Winkle avenue, Fourth District, consisting of ashes and garbage, and to prevent a repetition of the nuisance, the present condition of said Walnut street being highly detrimental to health.

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed, to be known as the committee on legislative enactments, with authority to visit Trenton during the coming session of the legislature, to examine such enactments as may be presented affecting the interest of the city, and take such action as may be necessary to protect said interest. Expense of said committee not to exceed the sum of three hundred dollars ($300).

Aldermen Smith, Steenken, and Stier, were appointed the committee.

By Alderman Savage, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner be directed to notify the owner or occupant of premises on South Sixth and Coles streets lately fitted up as a skating pond, to remove immediately the fence and supports a sufficient distance to allow of a sidewalk the full width required by law, and if not complied with to cause such removal, the present location of said fence and supports being dangerous to travel.

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn in favor of John E. Scott, city clerk, for two dollars and fifty cents ($2 50) to refund fees paid in serving subpœnas in case of Alderman David C. Joyce.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented on the 5th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance to provide a city armory and to regulate the use of the same."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Rearon and Joyce.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, December 19, 1871, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier and Alde men Bumsted, Holden, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Absent—Aldermen Edwards and Stier.

The minutes of the regul r meeting of the 12th inst. were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Bumsted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Remonstrances of George Morrow and others, against the passage of an ordinance allowing stoops, &c., to encroach or extend upon the sidewalk in Palisade avenue.

Referred to committee on law and ordinances.

Remonstrance of L. H Cummings and others, against the granting of a license to John Brown, to keep a restaurant on Yale avenue, between Mallory and Westside avenues, Sixth District.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

First District—James H. Farrant, corner Montgomery and Henderson streets; Peter Duggett, 115 Grove street; John W. Hastings, 113 Washington street.

Fifth District—Patrick Costello, Crawford street, near Palisade avenue.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of Jacob Jackson, Samuel H. Isaacs, and James Gough, for licenses to vend merchandise other than meat fish, fruit, &c.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was reported by the committee on stationery and supplies in payment of claim heretofore referred:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of A. W Winkle for $64 50 for coal and wood for City Hall.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk laid before the Board the following communication from His Honor, the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office on the 18th inst., and the same was read, received and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, JERSEY CITY, December 16 1871.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

GENTLEMEN: I beg leave to return, with my objections, the following resolution passed at your last meeting:

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed, to be known as the committee on legislative enactments, with authority to visit Trenton during the coming session of the Legislature, to examine such enactments as may be presented affecting the interests of the city, and take such action as may be deemed necessary to protect said interest, expenses of said committee not to exceed the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.)

I am of the opinion that there is no necessity for the appointment of a committee to visit Trenton for the purpose named in the resolution; neither can I find in the city charter any section authorizing your honorable body to expend money for such a purpose. There are no less than three members of your honorable body who are also elected members of the next Legislature, whose duty it will be to present such amendments to the city charter as the citizens of Jersey City may require.

I am, gentlemen, very respectfully, yours, &c.,

CHAS. H. O'NEILL.

Alderman Smith moved:

"That the resolution do now pass, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor."

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken;

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Joyce and Reardon.

The City Clerk presented a report of the approval by His Honor the Mayor, on the 14th instant, of the ordinance passed on the 12th instant, to provide a City Armory, &c.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following report from the Committee on Laws and Ordinances was presented:

Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Your committee on laws and ordinances, who were instructed by resolution adopted November 14, 1871, to investigate and report whether David C. Joyce, now an Alderman from the Second District, was at the time of his election duly qualified to hold said office, respectfully report:

That your committee met at the city clerk's office, on Tuesday evening, November 28 1871, at which meeting all of your committee were present, and at said meeting Peter Lynch, Michael O'Keefe, James Barry, and Alderman David C. Joyce appeared before your committee and were severally examined.

The statements made by the first named three were substantially the same as they made under oath at a subsequent meeting, as will hereinafter appear:

Alderman Joyce made answer to questions as follows:

Arrived in the United States in 1861 or 1862, did not recollect which; age 27 or 28, did not positively know; could not remember whether in coming to this country he landed in Jersey City or New York city; could not recollect the name of the vessel he came in, nor the name of the line or firm the vessel belonged to; first came to Jersey City to live; was a resident of New York city April 9, 1867, but was not a resident of said city Oct. 12, 1868; resided in New York city prior to 1866, and then for not over two or three weeks, and went there without any intention of remaining.

At said meeting of November 28, 1871, Alderman Joyce produced before the committee full citizenship papers dated New York city, October 12, 1868. The records show that on April 9, 1867, he made declaration to become a citizen in the city of New York, and on that paper he received full papers October 17, 1871, in Hudson County, New Jersey.

At an adjourned meeting held December 6, 1871, your committee again met; Alderman Savage serving on the committee, in the stead of Alderman Reardon, in accordance with your order made December 5, 1871, and Michael O'Keefe, Peter Lynch, James Barry Dennis Reardon and David C Joyce were subpœnaed by the city clerk, pursuant to section 16 of the city charter, and appeared before your committee.

The first four named were severally sworn and testified as follows:

Michael O'Keefe, sworn: Has known David C. Joyce seven or eight years; he has resided in Jersey City seven years; has been my neighbor most all of the time.

James Barry, sworn: David C. Joyce voted at the election of November 4, 1868; have known him since 1867; he has resided in Jersey City since 1867.

Peter Lynch, sworn: David C. Joyce resided in Jersey City in 1868.

Dennis Reardon, sworn: Have known David C. Joyce about eighteen months.

David C. Joyce refused to be sworn

Your committee respectfully report that David C. Joyce was not at the time of his election as an Alderman, at the charter election held April 11, 1871, a citizen of the United States, as the testimony heretofore submitted will clearly show; and therefore having completed their investigation, they report the following resolution, and recommend that this report be entered on the journal of proceedings, and the resolution adopted.

[Signed] S. H. SMITH,
JAMES M. SAVAGE,
Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Jersey City, Dec. 19, 1871.

Whereas, sufficient evidence has been produced before this Board to determine that David C. Joyce, at the time of his election, April 11, 1871, as an Alderman from the Second District, was not a citizen of the United States, and therefore not qualified to fill said office; therefore

Resolved That Tuesday, December 26, 1871, at 8½ o'clock P. M., be appointed as the time when this Board of Aldermen will meet at the Aldermanic Chamber, in the City Hall, for the purpose, as contemplated in section 15 of the city charter, of giving David C. Joyce an opportunity to be heard in his own defence, and show cause why the seat now occupied by him as an Alderman from the Second Aldermanic District should not be declared vacant.

Resolved, That this Board do not deem it necessary that the proceedings herein named should be taken other than to observe a proper dignity, and to give Mr. Joyce a privilege that could not be proper

y claimed by him in his pretence to a position illegally sought for by him at the time of his election.

The report was received, its recommendations adopted, and the resolution adopted.

Alderman Smith from the committee on laws and ordinances, presented the following entitled ordinances and the same were received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz.:

"An ordinance amending an ordinance entitled 'an ordinance to establish, regulate and control the appointment, duties and responsibilities of the pound keepers in Jersey City,' passed June 6, 1871."

"An ordinance amending an ordinance entitled 'an ordinance regulating the driving of cattle through the streets of Jersey City,' passed August 1, 1871."

The committee on liquor licenses to whom was referred, on the 5th inst., the petition of John Brown, for a license to keep a restaurant on Yale avenue, between Mallory and Westside avenues, Sixth District, presented a report thereon recommending that the petition be returned to the petitioner, two of the signers having requested permission to withdraw their names from the application.

The report was received and its recommendation adopted.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolution on applications referred to said committee on the 12th inst:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the First District: John C. Bailey, corner Hudson and Grand streets; Edmund J. Koch, Jr., 60 Montgomery street; Mrs. James Gathercole, 227 Grand street.

The report was received,

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, ten in number.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolution, on applications referred to said committee on the 12th inst.:

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Jacob Levey and Joseph Marshall, on their paying the license fees.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of R. G. Dudley $27 60, and C. E. Bliss & Co., $159 80.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of John W. Baker $188 55.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance reported by the Committee on Laws and Ordinances on the 12th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance to amend an ordinance passed August 1, 1871, entitled 'An ordinance concerning snow and ice, and to prohibit the sprinkling of salt and other injurious matter upon the public streets of Jersey City.'"

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Holdon, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

Nays—None.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer for payment of salaries for December, 1871, when due, viz:

John E. Scott, city clerk	$333 33
James H. Love collector	291 66
Samuel D. Ellis, marshal	83 33
R. G. Dudley, overseer of the poor	83 33

On motion of Alderman Smith, the board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, December 26, 1871, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Joyce, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steinken, Stier and Wandle.

Absent—Aldermen Edwards and Holden.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 19th inst. were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of John Brown for a license to keep a restaurant at Yale avenue, between Mallory and Westside avenues, Sixth district.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of William Hallsey for a license to keep a junk shop at 25 Prospect street, Third district.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by the committee on alms, in payment of claims heretofore referred:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of C. E. Bliss & Co. for $159 80, for groceries for out-door poor, from October 1st to December 18, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city Treasurer in favor of R. G. Dudley, for $27 60 for transportation of paupers.

The resolutions were adopted.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk presented a report of the approval by his Honor the Mayor, on the 21st inst., of the ordinance passed December 19, 1871, amendatory to ordinance passed August 1, 1871, concerning snow and ice, etc.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on laws and ordinances to whom was referred, on the 19th inst., the remonstrance of George Morrow and others against the passage of an ordinance authorizing stoops to extend into sidewalk on Palisade avenue, etc., presented a report thereon recommending that the board postpone indefinitely the ordinance presented Dec. 12, 1871, to alter an ordinance passed July 18, 1871, relative to the sidewalks, public grounds and streets of Jersey City.

The report was received, and its recommendation adopted.

The committee on liquor license reported the following resolution on applications referred to said committee on the 19th inst.:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places:

James H. Farrant, corner Montgomery and Henderson streets, first district.

Peter Duggett, 115 Grove street, first district.

John W. Hastings, 113 Washington street, first district.

Patrick Costello, Crawford street, near Palisade avenue, fifth district.

The report was received.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, ten in number.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolution on applications, referred to said committee on the 19th inst.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandize (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco), from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Jacob Jackson, Samuel H. Isaacs and James Gough, on their paying the license fees.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

RECEIVING OF CLAIMS.

Claim of Charles Tier, for $85 62 or labor and material furnished in fitting up room for drum corps, was presented, received, and referred to committee on baths and armories.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That no application for permission to construct a bow window in any building will be considered unless the applicant for such permission shall present therewith the receipt from the City Treasurer for an amount sufficient to pay the cost of printing and advertising the ordinance necessary therefor.

The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Alderman Steenken and adopted:

Whereas, the Board of Public Works have in their contracts for the building of sewers, defined the limit of excavation to be made by any contractor; and

Whereas, the excess of such limit leads in many places to the partial excavation of earth, leaving stagnant pools of water extremely detrimental to the public health and a great source of public discomfort; therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to compel the observance of the terms of their contracts by the several contractors, so that the comfort and health of the people may not be interfered with unnecessarily.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to abate the nuisance made by the contractor for the building of a sewer in Waverly street and Palisade avenue, he having excavated over 700 feet of the work while not working over 200 feet, leaving foul pools of water in such excavation, closing up all house drains, rendering the streets and, to a great degree, the sidewalks almost impassable, and injuring the health of the neighborhood by the noxious exhalations from the stagnant water.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance presented on the 12th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance to alter an ordinance entitled 'an ordinance in relation to the sidewalks, public grounds and streets in Jersey City,'" passed July 18, 1871, approved July 21, 1871.

On motion of Alderman Smith the further consideration of the ordinance was indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Alderman Smith the Board took a recess for five minutes.

On the reassembling of the Board, the hour, half-past eight o'clock having arrived, being the time fixed by resolution of the 19th inst. for the hearing of David C. Joyce in his own defence, and to show cause why his seat, as an Alderman from the Second District, should not be declared vacant, the following resolution was offered by Alderman Smith:

Resolved, That the seat now occupied by David C. Joyce, as an Alderman from the Second Aldermanic District, be and is hereby declared vacant, for the reason that said David C. Joyce was not a citizen of the United States, at the time of his election as an Alderman from said district, April 11, 1871.

Alderman Joyce addressed the Board, stating that he wished to be represented by counsel, who had promised to be present at this time, and asking on behalf of counsel that the further consideration of the subject be postponed for one week. The Alderman again presented his naturalization papers, dated October 12, 1868, signed by James M. Sweeney, clerk of the Superior Court of the City of New York, with seal of Court affixed.

Alderman Joyce then desired the privilege to be heard by counsel, who had arrived during the discussion.

Alderman Bumsted moved that the privilege be granted.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken:

Ayes—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Joyce, Savage, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Mandeville, Reardon, Smith and Steenken.

Whereupon S. B. Ransom, Esq., appeared and addressed the Board in behalf of Alderman Joyce.

The resolution was then adopted by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Stier.

Alderman Joyce was excused from voting. Thereupon the President declared vacant the seat lately occupied by David C. Joyce as an alderman from the Second Aldermanic District.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, January 2, 1872, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

Absent—Aldermen Holden, Mandeville and Stier.

The minutes of the regular meeting of Dec. 26, 1871, were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

For restaurant licenses, 4th district: Frederick W. Clemens, corner Colden street and Manners avenue; Herman Haase, Newark avenue, near five corners.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of Isaac S. Newton and others for a reconsideration of action had in changing name of Newton avenue to Virginia avenue.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petitions of Richard Nash, C. W. Preus and Bartlett Moore, for licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Nicholas Ehrgott, for transfer of his junk license to James Weldon,

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was reported by the committee on baths and armories, in payment of a claim heretofore referred, viz.:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Charles Tier, for $85 02, for work and materials furnished in fitting up room for drum corps.

The resolution was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on streets presented a report, submitting twenty-two sealed proposals received by them in answer to an advertisement for proposals for a contract to furnish paint and letter both glass and wood signs to be placed at street corners, the report recommending that the proposals be opened and read.

The report was received, and its recommendation adopted.

The proposals were opened, read and found to be as follows:

	Glass Signs.	Wood Signs.
Henry Stuhr	32c.	32c.
Charles Long	14½c.	28c.
John Boyd	15c.	25c.
Charles Wittreich	17c.	32c.
Frederick Schur	15c.	30c.
Bernard Gallagher	18c.	20c.
John Mogridge	16½c.	22½c.
Edwin A. Kennedy, New York	17c.	29c.
William McAllister	20c.	30c.
M. N. Little	25c.	25c.
John Shea, New York	30c.	30c.
E. W. Bowen	22c.	22c.
Alfred G. Southward	8c.	16c.
W. J. Smith	25c.	50c.
Edward Paterson	12c.	22c.
Jasper C. Westervelt	15c.	25c.
Potter & Schermerhorn	17c.	32c.
Edwards & Brower	16c.	22c.
Christopher Sipp	25c.	40c.
Thomas Howe	10c.	22c.
John F. La Fleur	25c.	40c.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the twenty-two sealed proposals reported at this meeting by the committee on streets opened and read for the contract to furnish paint, and letter both glass and wood signs to be placed at street corners, be referred to the committee on streets, with authority to enter into a contract with the lowest of said bidders, provided the said committee deem it to the interests of the city so to do; and that on the requisition of said committee the Mayor and city clerk are hereby authorized to execute under the corporate seal of the city, and on its behalf, such contracts as shall have been prepared by the corporation attorney, and duly executed by the party or parties to whom the same shall have been awarded, and after the said party or parties shall have given security satisfactory to the committee on streets for the faithful fulfillment of the said contract.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred November 14, 1871, the petition of William Brann for permission to place a box for the purpose of holding coal, on sidewalk in Brunswick street fronting grocery store at the corner of said street and South Seventh street, presented an adverse report thereon.

The report was received andadopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred November 14, 1871, the petition of Martin Lillis for permission to erect an awning, presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted during the pleasure of this board to Martin Lillis to erect an awning in front of premises on Hoboken avenue, near Palisade avenue, providing the same does not interfere with public travel.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred November 14, 1871, the petition of Samuel Martin for permission to erect an awning, presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission be hereby granted during the pleasure of this board to Samuel Martin to place an awning in front of his store on Montgomery avenue, near Van Vorst street, providing the same does not interfere with public travel.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolution on application referred to said committee December 26, 1871:

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at No. 25 Prospect street, in the Third District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to William Hallisey on his paying the license fees.

The report was received, and the resolution adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

A claim of Hudson Co. German Publishing Co., for printing ordinances, &c., for $278.60, was presented and referred to the committee on printing.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board took a recess for ten minutes for the purpose of examining claims.

On the reassembling of the board the following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims received at this meeting:

By committee on a ms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley for $30, for board of horse of Overseer of Poor for December, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Bud & Marquart for $53 80, for groceries for poor for December, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Herman Bruns for $76 20, for groceries for outdoor poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Herman Bruns for $54 35, for groceries for outdoor poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Coykendall Bros. for $172 25 for groceries for poor for December, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of John A. Duncan, for $189 30, for groceries for poor for December, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of Drayton & Durant, for $218 52, for bread for poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of J. A. French, for $70 50, for shoes for outdoor poor for December, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of John Headden, Jr., for $72 76, for coal for outdoor poor for December, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of Paul Schober, for $152 10, for meat for outdoor poor for December, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of T. B. Smith, for $415 63, for coal for outdoor poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of Totton Bros., for $135 60, for meat for outdoor poor for December, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of A. W. Van Winkle, for $168 25, for coal for outdoor poor for December, 1871.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of Westervelt & King, for $45.50, for coal for out-door poor.

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of Peter Dalton, Jr., for $3.13, for repairing locks and keys.

By committee on streets:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer, in favor of David W. Meeker, for $350, for balance due on maps for remaining streets.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance reported by the committee on laws and ordinances, December 19, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:—

An ordinance amending an ordinance entitled "An ordinance regulating the driving of cattle through the streets of Jersey City,'. passed August 1, 1871.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the first section was amended by striking the word "twenty" where it occurs twice in said section, and inserting in its stead the word "thirty."

The ordinance, as amended, was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Ayes—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle.

Nays—None.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer for one hundred and forty-five dollars and eighty-three cents for rent of armory, 27 and 27 Newark avenue, for December, 1871.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it will adjourn to meet on the second Tuesday in February next.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Beard then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Adjourned regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Friday, February 16, 1872, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Absent—None.

The minutes of regular meeting of January 2, 1872, were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Bumsted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Lieut. P. A. Ellers, Battery A, N. G. S. N. J., for permission to fire a salute within the city limits on Washington's birthday, February 22, 1872.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Invitation from the Tobacco Club, to attend annual masquerade ball, at Coopers Hall, on Wednesday evening, the 21st inst.

Accepted, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Petition of the New Jersey Midland Railway Co. by D. E. Culver, engineer, for permission to erect telegraph poles through certain streets in Jersey City.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted the New Jersey Midland Railway Company to erect a line of telegraph poles on York street, from Hudson to Washington street, through Washington to Montgomery street, through Montgomery street to Newark avenue, through Newark avenue to Tonnele avenue, and through Tonnele avenue to the County road; the poles to be erected under the direction of the committee on streets, and each pole to be properly trimmed and painted and firmly set, the said poles to remain where placed during the pleasure of this Board.

Petition of John Hollwegs & Brothers for transfer of restaurant license to John Prigge.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

Petition of Daniel Kelly for transfer to him of restaurant license heretofore granted to John Falahee.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Petition of George E. Hart and others, for permission to shoot or discharge fire arms upon the property of the Marion Building Co. accompanied by recommendation of F. A. Giles, President of said company, presented February 13, 1872, to the Board of Public Works and referred to Board of Aldermen.

Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

Petition of John N. Fiacre, C. Van Vorst and others, that Erie street, now including what was formerly Erie and Barrow streets, may be changed to Barrow street.

Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

Petition of John P. Culver and others, that Pacific avenue, formerly Washington avenue, may be changed to Lafayette avenue.

Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

Joseph Wareing, 317 Newark avenue, second district. John O'Reilly, 457 South Eighth or First street, second district.

John O'Halloran, 134 Coles street, Third District.

Jeremiah Murphy, Oakland, near St. Paul's avenue, Fourth District.

Michael Dolan, Montgomery, near Beacon avenue, Fourth District.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of C. A. Hoyt, Principal, school No. 7, corner Central avenue and Congress street, for removal of paving blocks from sidewalk adjoining said school.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Frank Lehane and others, Charles A. Woolsey and others, and D. Meginly and others, to have the streets which run in a northerly and southerly direction designated by numbers, from one upward, commencing at the Hudson river, and to cause streets which run in an easterly and westerly direction to be designated as "avenues."

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Bartlett Moore, for transfer to him of license granted August 1, 1871, to Patrick Dolan, to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of George H. Penneycud and Laurence Sutton, William Madden, Michael Kilroy, Jeremiah Murphy, J. Conklin, Peter Weitchen, Jeremiah Long, James Flanagan, John Howe, Joseph Ryan, James Scanlan and Thomas Ronan, for licenses to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of Philip Klein, Patrick Gallagher, Philip Klein, and Morris Washar for licenses to vend merchandise other than meat, fish, etc.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of W. H. Seeley for a license as a public porter.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Thomas Kenney for a license to keep a junk shop at Walnut street, near St. Paul's avenue, Fourth district.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was reported by the committee on printing, in payment of claim heretofore referred, viz.:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Hudson County German Publishing Association, for $278 60, for advertising ordinances.

The resolution was adopted.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The annual reports of the Board of Public Works, Board of Police Commissioners, Board of Fire Commissioners and Board of Finance and Taxation were presented, and the following resolution, in relation thereto, was offered by Alderman Stier:

Resolved, That the annual reports of the different boards of the city government be received, ordered filed, and that one thousand copies of the same be printed in pamphlet form under the direction of the committee on printing.

Alderman Reardon moved:

That the number of copies be made 1,500.

The amendment was rejected.

The resolution was then adopted.

A concurrent resolution, adopted by the Board of Public Works January 9, 1872, and approved by the Mayor January 12, 1872, concerning the expense of building the sewer in Grand street, from Mill Creek to Grove street, was presented.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Smith:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works, January 9, 1872, and approved by the Mayor January 12, 1872, "that the expense of building the sewer in Grand street, from Mill Creek to Grove street, not more than twelve dollars per lineal foot, shall be assessed upon the property fronting on said sewer and laterals, and the balance shall be paid by the city at large, and raised by general tax," be and the same is hereby concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.

Alderman Reardon moved that the resolution be laid upon the table

The motion was rejected.

The resolution was then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Smith and Wandle.

Nays—Aldermen Reardon, Savage, Steenken and Stier.

A concurrent resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works, January 9, 1872, and approved by the Mayor, January 15, 1872, to pay to Board of Chosen Freeholders the sum of $2,000 for the purpose of building abutments to bridge over Morris Canal on Communipaw avenue, was presented.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Smith, and adopted.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works, January 9, 1872, and approved by the Mayor, January 15, 1872, "that the sum of two thousand dollars be paid to the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Hudson County for the purpose of building abutments to bridge over the Morris Canal on Communipaw avenue," be and is hereby concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.

A concurrent resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works, Dec. 26, 1871, and approved by the Mayor, Dec. 29, 1871, that hereafter the costs and expenses for building abutments for bridges now built or to be hereafter built shall be borne by the city at large and paid by general tax, was presented.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Smith.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works, December 26, 1871, that hereafter the cost and expenses for building abut-

ments for bridges now built, or to be hereafter built be borne by the city at large and paid by general tax, be not concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.

The resolution was rejected.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the concurrent resolution was laid upon the table.

A concurrent resolution, adopted by the Board of Public Works, January 23, 1872, presented to the Mayor January 26, 1872, and gone into effect without his action, approving of contract dated January, 1872, made with the Morris and Essex Railroad Company and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, in regard to the construction of a tunnel through the reservoir property on Bergen Hill, was presented.

Letters from John P. Culver, chief engineer of Board of Public Works; John F. Ward, engineer, and from Samuel Sloan, president of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, were presented by Alderman Smith, and read by the clerk.

M. H. Gillett, Esq., President of the Board of Public Works, being present, was, on motion of Alderman Smith, invited to, and did, address the Board on the subject matter of the contract.

Alderman Smith moved:

That the resolution be referred to a special committee of three.

The motion was rejected

Alderman Reardon moved:

That the resolution be laid upon the table.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Aldermen Reardon and Bumsted:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Mandeville, Reardon and Smith.

Nays—Aldermen Holden, Savage, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Reports of W. C. White, Pound Master, from Sept. 20 to Dec. 31, 1871, and of Robert Harriot Pound Master, for quarter ending Dec 31, 1871, were presented, received and ordered filed.

The City Clerk presented a report of the approval by His Honor, the Mayor, Jan. 4, 1872, of the ordinance passed January 2, 1872, amendatory to ordinance regulating the driving of cattle.

The report was received and filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolution on application heretofore referred to said committee.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fourth district: Frederick W. Clemens, corner Colden street and Manners avenue; Herman Haase, Newark avenue, near Five Corners.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members of the Board, eleven in number,

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

The reports were received.

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit, and vegetables, from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to C. W. Preus and Richard Nash, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That the license granted August 15, 1871, to Nicholas Ehrgott, to keep a junk shop at 257 Railroad avenue, Second district, be transferred to James Weldon at the corner of South Sixth and Brunswick street, Second district.

The resolutions were severally adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred December 5, 1871, with power, the petition of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Co. by Samuel Sloan, president, for removal of houses and stable from North Eleventh street, presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to cause to be removed, upon ten days notice, the houses and stable located in North Eleventh street.

The report was received.

Alderman Reardon moved

That the resolution be amended by striking out the word "ten" and inserting in its stead the word "thirty."

The motion was rejected. The resolution was then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, and Stier.

Nays—Aldermen Reardon, Savage and Wandle.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred, January 2, 1872, the petition of Isaac S Newton and others, to have the name of Virginia avenue changed to Newton avenue, presented an adverse report thereon.

The report was received and adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom were referred, January 2, 1872, with power to contract with the lowest bidder, the twenty-two proposals presented at said date for contract to furnish paint and letter signs for street names, presented a report thereon, setting forth that they awarded the contract to Alfred G. Southward, the lowest bidder, and that a contract has been executed and the work is now in progress.

The report was received and ordered filed.

The committee on streets presented a report submitting list of changes made in street names, and submitting the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the committee on streets are hereby authorized to have printed for distribution two thousand copies of list of changes made in names of streets under authority of ordinance passed Dec. 5, 1871.

Resolved, That said committee are hereby further authorized to purchase a cutter for glass, some small hardware, and posts for signs, and to employ help for the purpose of properly placing said signs, the whole expense not to exceed five hundred dollars.

The report was received and the resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board took a recess for fifteen minutes for the purpose of auditing claims.

On the reassembling of the Board, on motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented Dec. 19, 1871, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

An ordinance amending an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to establish, regulate and control the appointment, duties and responsibilities of the pound-keepers in Jersey City," passed June 6, 1871.

The ordinance was amended, on motion of Alderman Smith.

The ordinance as amended, was then passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

The board then resumed the second order of business.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By committee on alms.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasury in favor of E. S. Ashley for $38, for horse keep, &c., for January, 1872

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city tresury in favor of John Anglem for $15, for meat for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasury in favor of William Allen, for $5 20, for arrest, examination, &c., in case of abandonment.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Buerk & Marquart for $56 80, for meat for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Herman Oterson for $7 76, for groceries for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Paul Schober for $194 20, for meat for out-door poor.

Resolved That a warrant be drawn on the city treasury in favor of Theo. B. Smith for $753 13, for coal for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city Treasurer in favor of C. E. Bliss & Co. for $139 73, for groceries for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Coykendall & Bro, for $352 70 for groceries for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John A. Duncan for $390 62 for groceries for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Drayton & Durant $228 32 for bread for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of R. G. Dudley for $49 67 for transportation of paupers.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. A. French for $91 50 for shoes for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of James Young for $202 75 for meat for out door poor.

By committee on bath and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Uriah Allen for $100 50 for furniture for armory Company E.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Frederick Anness for $5 53 for cleaning, putting up stove, etc., in armory.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. W. Farrier for $61 50 for gas fixtures in company rooms in armory.

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of John Headden, Jr., for $97 75, for coal for out door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Thomas Howe for $7 50, for signs for Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of P. N. Horsley for $16 for arrests and examinations in abandonment cases.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of William Kelly for $15 20, for horse shoeing and repairing wagon of Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Totten Brothers for $195, for meat for out door poor for January, 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of A. W Van Winkle for $169, for coal for out door poor.

By committee on baths and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley for $50, for rent of room for Co. A, Fourth Regiment, for quarter ending Feb. 1, 1872.

Resolved That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Uriah Allen for $166 10, for furniture for armory of Co. C.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Uriah Allen for $165 99, for furniture for Armory Co. F.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Jersey City Gas Light Company, for $59 30, for gas for armory, from October 1, 1871, to January 1, 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer, for $145 83, for rent of armory, 27 and 29 Newark avenue, for January, 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer, for $145 83, for rent of armory, 27 and 29 Newark avenue, for February, 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer, for $40, for rent of room for drum corps for December and January.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer, for $20, for rent of room for drum corps for February.

By committee on printing:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, for $183 20, for advertising and printing.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John H. Lyon, for $69 30, for advertising.

By committee on stationary and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurerin favor of John W. Harrison, for $143 75, for stationary, &c.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Jersey City Ice Company for $174 97 for ice furnished City Hall from March 1, 1871, to Jan. 1, 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of George Wood $78 87 for coal for City Hall and Armory.

The resolutions were adopted.

The board then resumed the regular order of business.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on streets are hereby directed to renumber Mercer street.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer for payment of salaries for January, 1872:

John E. Scott, city clerk, $333 33; J. H. Love, city collector, $291 66; S. D Ellis, city marshal, $83 33; R. G. Dudley, overseer of poor, $83 33; and that warrants for like amounts be drawn for payment of salaries, when due, for February, 1872.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on streets and street commissioner are hereby authorized and directed to cause the immediate removal from the streets and sidewalks of all Belgian paving blocks now stored or piled thereon, except where streets are under improvement, the expense of removal and storage to be met by sale of said paving blocks.

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the city clerk is hereby authorized to procure from the Secretary of State certified copies of all acts that may be passed by the Legislature at its present session affecting the interests of Jersey City.

By Alderman Edwards, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That when this board adjourns, it does so to meet on Friday evening, February 23, at 7:30 o'clock.

On motion of Alderman Mandeville, the board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Friday, February 23, 1872, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Reardon, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Absent—None.

The minutes of regular meeting of the 13th inst. and adjourned regular meeting of the 16th inst. were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Patrick Green for transfer of his restaurant license from No. 38 Railroad avenue to 144 Steuben street, Second District.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

Petition of James Smith for a license to keep a restaurant at No. 310 Newark avenue, Second district.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Communication from James Cummings, calling attention to the shape and length of poles laid along Newark avenue, to be used for telegraphic purposes.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petitions of H. A. Coursen and others, and B. F. Sawyer and others, to have the streets which run in a northerly and southerly direction designated by numbers, from one upward, commencing at the Hudson river, and to cause streets which run in an easterly and westerly direction to be designated as avenues.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Monnington Roberts for a license to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk presented a report of the approval by his honor the Mayor, on the 19th instant, of the ordinance passed on the 16th inst., amendatory to ordinance governing the pound-keeper.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on laws and ordinances, to whom was referred on the 16th inst. the petition of the employees of the Marion Building Company, for permission to shoot or discharge fire arms upon property of said company, presented a favorable report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted the employees of the Marion Building Company to shoot or discharge fire arms upon the property of said company, known as the meadows or cedars, from Cedars to the Hackensack River west, provided they erect an iron target and such other contrivances as will insure safety, the permission herein granted to continue during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places:

John O'Reilly, 457 South Eighth street, Second District.

Joseph Warring, 317 Newark avenue, Second District.

John OHalleran, 134 Coles street, Third District.

Jeremiah Murphy, Oakland avenue, near St. Paul's avenue, Fourth District.

Michael Dolan, Montgomery avenue, near Beacon avenue, Fourth District.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members of the board, eleven in number.

The committee on streets, to whom were refered, on the 16th inst., the petitions of Frank Lebane and others, C. A. Woolsey and others, and D. Meginly and others, to have the streets which run in a northerly and southerly direction designated by numbers from one upward, commencing at the Hudson River, and to cause streets which run in an easterly and westerly direction to be designated as avenues, presented an adverse report thereon.

The report was received.

Alderman Edwards moved:

That the report be adopted, and entered in full in the minutes.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nay—Alderman Reardon,

Said report being as follows;

Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Your committee on streets, to whom were referred, Feoruary 16, 1872, the petitions of Charles A. Woolsey and others, Francis Lebane and others and D. Maginly and others, to have the streets which run in a northerly and southerly direction designated by number, from one upward, commencing at the Hudson River, and to cause streets which run in an easterly and westerly direction, to be designated as avenues, respectfully report that your committee have carefully considered the subject matter of said petitions, and are decidedly adverse to making the changes petitioned for. Your committee, in performing the work incidental to the change adopted by ordinance of December 5, 1871, were extremely careful to keep in use all old names, with a view to make very few changes, and to render the subject to the public with as little room for objection as could possibly be made.

The keeping of names which have been known to the public for years, is of more importance than to institute so radical a change as that contemplated in the petitions. Any one, to examine the map of Jersey City, will readily observe that the contemplated numbering of streets, from one upward, commencing at the Hudson River, cannot possibly be done; the laying out of streets in the former cities of Hudson and Bergen never contemplated a consolidation or continuation of streets on the same line through their territories.

Any stranger coming to our city would as readily find a street by its present name as if it was numbered, particularly when the present main thoroughfares (few in number) were originally post-roads, and were laid out more for comfort of travel than for uniformity in line.

Your committee would further report that the sum of $2,500 was appropriated in annual tax-levy for the purpose of paying expenses of re-naming streets. Contracts have been executed for furnishing and painting signs, map made, labor expended and work done, which, when finally completed and paid for, will cost very nearly, if not all the amount appropriated.

All this and more will be lost to the city if any attempt should be made to carry out the prayer of the petitions, for your committee are convinced that the scheme is impracticable, and therefore impossible of execution with any degree

The said petitions, being in printed form, have led your committee to presume that more will be presented. With all due deference to the wishes of their constituents the people, your committee are firm in the belief that a careful survey of the premises will satisfy any reasonable man that the scheme, while very commendable in its conception, is in reality impossible of execution.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN S. EDWARDS,
CHAS. STIER,
HENRY V. MANDEVILLE,
Committee on Streets.

JERSEY CITY, February 23, 1872.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit, and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Council under the corporate seal of the city to John Howe, Joseph Ryan, Thomas Rouan, James Scanlan James Flannagan, John Conklin, Jeremiah Long, George H. Pennycud, Lawrence Sutton, William Madden, Jeremiah Murphy, Peter Welchen and Michael Kilroy on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at Walnut street near St. Paul's avenue in the Fourth district of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city, to Thomas Kenney, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license as a public porter be issued by the mayor and city clerk under the seal of the city, to William H. Seeley on his paying the license fees.

Resolved. That licenses to vend any other merchandize (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to Morris Washer, Philip Klein, Philip Klein and Patrick Gallagher, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That the license granted Aug. 1, 1871, to Patrick Dolan to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables be transferred to Bartlett Moore.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Herman Bruns, $209 45, and E. Hope, Jr., $36. Referred to committee on alms.

Of Brown, Harris & Hopkins, $14 25. Referred to committee on streets

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the concurrent resolution presented on the 16th inst., from Board of Public Works, approving of contract with the Morris and Essex Railroad Co. and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Co., in regard to the construction of a tunnel through the reservoir grounds, on Bergen Hill, was taken from the table for consideration.

Alderman Reardon moved

"That the whole matter be laid upon the table"

The motion was rejected.

Alderman Smith moved

"That the resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works be concurred in, provided the contract is amended by striking out the words 'or southward on,' wherein said contract authorizes the said companies to vary the line of their branch road, as is shown in a survey filed in the office of the Secretary of State and further providing that 'the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company must attach to the contract as a part of the contract a profile showing the grade of the road bed, roof of the tunnel, the bottom of the reservoir, the surface of the water in the reservoir, and the surface of the other portion of the hill, on their route, with the vertical figures attached;' also agree, and the same to be put in the contract, that the roof of the tunnel shall not approach the bottom of the reservoir within forty feet at any point."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Aldermen Bumsted, Steenken and Holden:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Mandeville and Smith.

Nays—Aldermen Edwards, Holden, Reardon, Savage, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the concurrent resolution, presented on the 16th inst. from the Board of Public Works—that the cost of building abutments for bridges shall be paid by the city—was taken from the table for consideration.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works, Dec. 26, 1871, that hereafter the costs and expenses for building abutments for bridges now built or to be hereafter built, be borne by the city at large, and paid by general tax, be not concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen Wandle and Bumsted from the committee on alms verbally reported that R. G. Dudley, Overseer of the Poor, met with an accident on the 22d inst. which will incapacitate him from performing the duties of his office for some time.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the subject matter was referred to the committee on alms with power

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Edwards, and adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to cause to be cleaned the box sewer now laid across Hancock avenue, between Franklin and Golden streets.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to direct the contractors for lighting lamps to clean and keep clean all lanterns, and that in lighting said lamps they be particularly directed in turning the lanterns to keep the street names correctly with the line of the street, for which each sign on said lanterns is intended.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Reardon:

Resolved, That so much of the resolution adopted on the 16th inst., as provides for removal of houses and stable from North Eleventh street, within ten days from date of notice, be rescinded, and that thirty days be allowed from date of notice for such removal.

The resolution was rejected by the following vote: the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Alderman Edwards:

Yeas—Alderman Bumsted, Reardon, Savage and Smith.

Nays—President Farrier and Alderman Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Reardon:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works are hereby requested to cause the owners of property on north side of Pavonia avenue, near Provost street, to repair the sidewalks fronting said property.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote: the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members of the Board, eleven in number.

On motion of Alderman Bumsted, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Adjourned regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Friday, March 8, 1872, at 7½ o'clock P M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Mandeville, Savage, Smith, Steenken and Wandle

Aldermen Edwards, Reardon and Stier were absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took their seats.

Absent—Alderman Holden.

The minutes of the regular meetings of February 23d and February 27, 1872, were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc, were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation to review the procession of Irish societies, from the City Hall, on Monday, the 18th inst., the anniversary of Ireland Patron Saint. Accepted.

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

Robert Bailey, corner Montgomery and Hudson streets, 1st district.

Bernard Hanaghan, Newark ave., near Waldo ave, 2d district.

Michael Cunningham, Cornelison, near Hudson avenue, 2d district.

James Murphy, South Seventh, near Colgate street, 2d district.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of H. I. Vanderbeek and others, to cause streets which run in a northerly and southerly direction to designate by numbers from one upward, commencing at the Hudson River, &c.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petitions of John Lenahan and James Finnegan for licenses to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses,

Petition of Rudolph Schaedwald for a license to vend kindling wood.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Herman Bruns, for $209 45, for groceries for outdoor poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Edward Hope, Jr., for $36, for coffins for outdoor poor.

By committee on streets:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Brown, Harris & Hopkins, for $14 25, for glass cutter, nails, &c.

The resolutions were adopted.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk presented a report of the filing in his office, February 27, 1872, of the resignation of James Warner, as a member of the Board of Education.

The report was received and ordered filed.

Alderman Edwards appeared and took his seat.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on laws and ordinances, to whom was referred, December 12, 1871, the petition of Henry Hanks, for permission to construct a bow window in building at northwest corner of Pavonia avenue and West Hamilton Place, presented a report thereon, submitting the following entitled ordinance, the report recommending that the ordinance be laid on the table and printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

"An ordinance for the relief of Henry Hanks, in construction of a bow window in building at the northwest corner of Pavonia avenue and West Hamilton Place."

The report was received and its recommendation adopted.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolution on application heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That a license be granted to James Smith, to keep a restaurant at 310 Newark avenue, in the Second District.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, eight in number

The committee on streets, to whom was referred February 23, 1872, the petitions of H. A. Coursen and others, and B. F. Sawyer and others, that the streets which run in a northerly and southerly direction be designated by numbers from one upward, commencing at the Hudson river, &c., presented adverse reports thereon.

The reports were received and adopted

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolution, on application heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That a license to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Monnington Roberts, on his paying the license fees.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the board took a recess for five minutes for the purpose of auditing claims.

During the recess Aldermen Reardon and Stier appeared.

On the reassembling of the Board the following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting.

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley, for $36, for keeping of horse for month of February, 1872, and coach hire.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Buerk & Marquart, for $68 40 for meat furnished out door for month of February.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of C. E. Bliss & Co., for $85, for groceries for out door for month of February.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of R. G Dudley for $47 30 for transportation of papers for month of February.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. A. Duncan, for $389 20, for groceries furnished out door, for month of February.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. A. French for $101 75, for shoes for out door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John Headden, Jr., for $89 06 for coal for out door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of McCoy, Wilson & Beemer for $94 33 for groceries furnished out door poor for month of February.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Theo. B. Smith for $190 63 for coal for out door poor for month of February.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Paul Schober for $202 50 for meat furnished out door poor for month of February.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Francis Terry for $261 36 for bread for out door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Totten Bros. for $198 30 for meat furnished out door poor for February.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of James Young for $34 50 for meat for out door poor.

By committee on streets:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. C. Meeker for $60 on account for services rendered in putting up street signs.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of A. G. Southward for $150 72 for painting signs for street names.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Smith and adopted:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns, it will adjourn to meet on Friday, the 29th inst. at 7:30 o'clock P M.

By the President, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Education are hereby requested to file in the office of the city clerk as speedily as possible their annual report, as required by section 155 of the city charter.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the following named for payment of salaries for March, 1872, when due, viz: John E. Scott, city clerk, $33 33; J. H. Love, city collector, $291 66; S. D. Ellis, city marshal, $83 33; R. G. Dudley, overseer of the poor, $83 33.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Whereas, by resolution adopted February 16, 1872, the New Jersey Midland Railway Company were granted permission to erect telegraph poles through certain streets of the city, and said company desire to erect poles temporarily until the end of the cold weather, so that they may use the telegraph immediately, agreeing to replace the poles now erected with others more suitable and less objectionable; therefore,

Resolved, That the New Jersey Midland Railway Company be authorized to proceed and erect the poles now placed along the line named in said resolution of February 16, 1872, provided they first sign such agreement as may be drawn by the city attorney, to replace (as soon as the ground will permit) such temporary poles with poles of the size and length generally used for such purpose.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board then adjourned. JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, Feb. 13, 1872, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

In the absence of the President, the Board was called to order by the city clerk.

Present—Aldermen, Bumsted, Holden, Savage, Steenken and Stier.

Absent—President Farrier, and Aldermen Edwards, Mandeville, Reardon, Smith and Wandle.

Less than a quorum being present, on motion of Alderman Bumsted, the Board adjourned to meet on Friday, the 16th inst., at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

JOHN E. SCOTT City Clerk

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday Feb 27 1872, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Absent— All the members of the Board.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesdey March 5, 1872. at 8½ o'clock P. M.

Present—Aldermen Edwards, Savage, Smith and Steenken.

Absent—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Holden, Mandeville, Reardon, Stier, and Wandle.

Less than quorum being present, on motion of Alderman Smith, the Board adjourned to Friday, the 8th inst, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

JOHN E. SCOTT, Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Friday, March 29, 1872, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Alderman Reardon was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Alderman Savage.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 5th inst., and adjourned meeting of the 8th inst., were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

Alderman Reardon appeared and took his seat.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS ETC.

Petitions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of John J Gregan for transfer of his restaurant license cor. Morris and Greene streets, First District, to John Wehrenberg. Granted, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

For restaurant license—Martin Haley, Central avenue, between Hutton and Franklin streets, fourth district; Patrick Bonnar, West Newark, near Tonnele avenue, fourth district.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of John S. Edwards, for permission to take up flag, and to pave in front of premises on Sherman avenue (late Lexington street) and Western avenue, so that he may drive in and out from his stable.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of William Manly, for permission to erect signboard across sidewalk in front of 116 Montgomery street.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petitions of Peter Brandt and John Stierli, for licenses to vend meat, fish fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Patrick F. Lee, for a license to vend merchandise other than meat, fish, fruit, &c.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places:

Robert Bailey, corner Montgomery and Hudson street, first district; Bernard Monaghan, Newark avenue, foot of hill, second district; Michael Cummings, Cornelison, near Hudson avenue, second district; James Murphy, South Seventh, near Colgate street, second district.

The report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Farrier and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden Mandeville, Reardon, Smith, Steenken, Stier, and Wandle.

Nays—None.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to John Lanahan and James Finnegan, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to vend kindling wood from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city, to Rudolph Schadewald on his paying the license fees.

The reports were received and the resolutions adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Herman Bruns, $185 85 and $123 25.

Referred to committee on alms.

Of W. B. Shafer, $20.

Referred to committee on baths and armories.

Of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, $66 30.

Referred to committee on printing.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the following entitled ordinance, presented March 8, 1872, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

An ordinance for the relief of Henry Hanks in construction of bow window in building at the northwest corner of Pavonia avenue and West Hamilton place.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken:

Ayes—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Reardon, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the Board took a recess of ten minutes for the purpose of auditing claims.

On the reassembling of the Board the second order of business was resumed.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John Anglem for $21 for meat for outdoor poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John A. Duncan for $323 25 for groceries for outdoor poor for March.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of R. G. Dudley for $47 08, for transportation of paupers.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. French for $64, for shoes for out-door poor for March.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Paul Schober for $210, for meat for out-door poor for March.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Theodore B. Smith for $168 75, for coal for out-door poor

Resolved That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Totten Bros. for $252, for meat for out door poor for March.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. C. Westervelt & Son for $31 89 for coal for out door poor for February and March.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Herman Oterson for $29 76, for groceries for out-door poor.

By committee on baths and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer for $145 83, for rent of armory for March, 1872.

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of George Woods for $46, for coal for City Hall.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of C. W. Cordman for $6 95, for repairing locks, &c.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of James R. Whyte for $33, for wood for City Hall.

By committee on streets:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of E. S. Ashley for $104, for use of horse and baggage wagon in putting up signs.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Stier, and adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on baths and armories be instructed to visit the headquarters which has been provided by the Board of Public Works for the Hudson County Artillery, and report to this Board the amount of funds necessary to furnish the same in a suitable manner for their use.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the Board then adjourned. JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting, at the aldermanic chamber, Tuesday, April 2, 1871, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Absent—All the members of the Board.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, April 9, 1872, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Savage and Smith.

Absent—Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Reardon, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Less than a quorum being present, on motion of Aldermen Smith, the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

In compliance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, passed March 31, 1871, entitled "An Act to reorganize the local government of Jersey City," the Board of City Canvassers for said city met at the Aldermanic Chamber, in the City Hall, in Jersey City, on Friday, the twelfth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the Charter Election, held in said city, under said act, on Tuesday, the ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

The Board was called to order by John E. Scott, City Clerk. The following named Judges of Election from the several polling precincts appeared and took their seats as members of the Board.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

First Precinct—Matthew Erwin.
Second Precinct—George Warrin.
Third Precinct—William D. Marinus.
Fourth Precinct—Andrew D. Whyte.
Fifth Precinct—Adrian W. Marinus.
Sixth Precinct—L. J. Quackenbush.
Seventh Precinct—Samuel Pearson.

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

First Precinct—Edward Flanly.
Second Precinct—Julius Jarecki.
Third Precinct—Jeremiah O. Connell.
Fourth Precinct—James Leavy.
Fifth Precinct—William Connolly.
Sixth Precinct—John L. Southerland.
Seventh Precinct—Bennett Stockmar.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

First Precinct—Henry Horace Lynch.
Second Precinct—Archibald White.
Third Precinct—William L. Schopp.
Fourth Precinct—Jacob A. Wooster.
Fifth Precinct—Horace Schermerhorn.
Sixth Precinct—J. H. Lounder.
Seventh Precinct—Thomas Swan.

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

First Precinct—Charles H. Hall.
Second Precinct—John D. Cox.
Third Precinct—Frederick Siller.
Fourth Precinct—George E. Eabrig.
Fifth Precinct—Francis Seguine.
Sixth Precinct—Edward M. Heritage.

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

First Precinct—George Wohlleben.
Second Precinct—Charles L. Steele.
Third Precinct—W. G. Ellsworth.
Fourth Precinct—George W. Newkirk.
Fifth Precinct—John A. White.

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

First Precinct—William Vogt.
Second Precinct—Justus Slater.
Third Precinct—Abraham C. Tuers.

On motion of Mr. Schermerhorn, Mr. Erwin was appointed Chairman of the Board.

The Chairman administered to each of the members of the Board and to the City Clerk the oaths required of them by law, and Mr. Lounder administered to the Chairman of the Board the oath required of him by law; whereupon the Judges of Election from the several election precincts produced the original statements which have been delivered to them respectively, and the same were laid before the Board.

The original statements were read.

Mr. A. W. Marinus moved:

That the votes cast in the several precincts in the First District for Elwell V. Hutton for the office of Constable be given to Elwell P. Hutton, as they were evidently intended for him.

Mr. A. D. Whyte moved as an amendment:

That all votes in the First District be allowed to all the persons for whom they were evidently intended.

The amendment was adopted, and the motion, as amended, was adopted.

A communication from Mr. Thomas Aldridge, protesting against the issue of a commission as a Justice of the Peace to Thomas W. Maires to fill vacancy caused by the death of Ezra B. King, was presented, received and ordered filed.

A communication from Mr. William M. Weeks protesting against the acceptance of return of election from the first precinct, Fourth District, was presented, received and laid upon the table.

Mr. Schermerhorn moved:

That the return from the first precinct, Fourth District, produced and laid before the Board, be accepted, and that the Board proceed with the canvass.

On motion of Mr. A. D. Whyte, Mr. Weeks was granted permission to address the Board.

Pending the discussion Mr. Schermerhorn moved:

That a committee of two be appointed to wait upon the City Attorney, Mr. Dixon, and request his presence before the board.

The motion was adopted, and Messrs. Schermerhorn and Hall were appointed.

On motion of Mr. A. W. Marinus, the Board took a recess of fifteen minutes to await the return of the committee.

On the re-assembling of the Board the committee appointed to wait upon the City Attorney verbally reported that said officer could not be found.

Mr. Weeks then addressed the Board.

On motion of Mr. H. H. Lynch, the return from the first precinct, Fourth District, produced and laid before the Board, was received and filed, and the Board then proceeded with the canvass.

The Board then proceeded to ascertain from the said original statements the votes given on the ninth instant, for the persons voted for thereat and for the several offices mentioned in such statements.

The Board then made a written statement of the whole number of votes given for the several officers elected for the Aldermanic Districts and the several precincts thereof, together with the names of the persons for whom such votes were given, and the number of votes given for each, as required by law.

The Board then proceeded upon the above mentioned statements so stated by them to determine and declare what person or persons had received the highest number of votes for each of the offices mentioned in such statement, which statement and final declaration of the Board of City Canvassers was, on motion of Mr. A. W. Marinus, ordered to be certified by the presiding officer and Clerk, and to be filed in the City Clerk's office, together with the original statement of the result of the charter election.

On motion of Mr. A. W. Marinus, it was

Resolved, That the statement and final declaration made by this Board of City Canvassers of the result of the Charter Election be published in the official newspapers of the city.

On motion of Mr. Slater, it was

Resolved, That the Clerk be requested to make out the claim of the members for compensation for services as City Canvassers, and present the same to the Board of Police Commissioners for payment.

The minutes of the Board were then read, and, on motion of Mr. Schermerhorn, were approved.

On motion of Mr. A. D. Whyte, the Board of City Canvassers then adjourned *sine die*.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
Clerk of the Board of City Canvassers.

A STATEMENT

Of the result of an Election held in Jersey City, in the County of Hudson, and State of New Jersey, on Tuesday the ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, according to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act to reorganize the local government of Jersey City," passed March 31, 1871, made by the Board of City Canvassers for said city.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct two hundred and twenty-six	226
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct two hundred and twelve	212

Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct two hundred and twenty-two. 222
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct two hundred and thirty-nine 239
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct one hundred and eighty-five 185
Whole number of votes cast in sixth polling precinct two hundred and fifty-five 255
Whole number of votes cast in seventh polling precinct one hundred and sixty-nine. 169

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct two hundred and sixty-two 262
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct three hundred and fifty-one 351
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct one hundred and forty-eight 148
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct one hundred and ninety 190
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct one hundred and forty-four 144
Whole number of votes cast in sixth polling precinct two hundred and ninety-three 293
Whole number of votes cast in seventh polling precinct two hundred and twenty-five 225

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct two hundred and sixteen 216
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct two hundred and thirteen 213
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct two hundred and nineteen 219
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct two hundred and fourteen 214
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct one hundred and forty-nine 149
Whole number of votes cast in sixth polling precinct two hundred and seventy-two 272
Whole number of votes cast in seventh polling precinct three hundred and seventy-one 371

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct two hundred and seventy 270
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct three hundred and twenty-two 322
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct three hundred and four 304
Whole number of of votes cast in fourth polling precinct two hundred and twenty-nine 229
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct one hundred and thirty three 133
Whole number of votes cast in sixth polling precinct two hundred and forty-six 246

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct two hundred and twenty 220
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct one hundred and seventy-five 175
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct two hundred and eighty four 284
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct two hundred and seventy-three 273
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct one hundred and sixty-eight 168

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct three hundred and forty-three 343
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct three hundred and sixty-four 364
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct three hundred and forty-two 342
Whole number of votes cast in Jersey City eight thousand four hundred and forty-eight 8,448

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct three 3
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct two 2
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct two 2
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct one 1
Whole number of ballots rejected in sixth polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in seventh polling precinct one 1

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct twelve 12
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct four 4
Whole number of ballots rejected in sixth polling precinct three 3
Whole number of ballots rejected in seventh polling precinct two 2

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct two 2
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct none 0
Whole number of votes rejected in third polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in sixth polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in seventh polling precinct one 1

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct one 1
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct five 5
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct two 2
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct two 2
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in sixth polling precinct none 0

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling ling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct two 2
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct two 2
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct two 2
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct two 2

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct one 1
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct none 0
Whole number of ballots rejected in Jersey City fifty-two 52

FOR CITY OFFICERS.

FOR MAYOR.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles H. O'Neill received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-nine 139 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the second precinct one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the third precinct one hundred and five 105 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-seven 127 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the fifth precinct seventy-one 71 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the sixth precinct seventy-four 74 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the seventh precinct eighty-seven 87 votes.

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles H. O'Neill received in the first precinct two hundred and twenty-five 225 votes.
Charles H O'Neill received in the second precinct two hundred and ninety-nine 299 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the third precinct one hundred and thirty-six 136 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the fourth precinct one hundred and sixty-three 163 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the fifth precinct one hundred and fifteen 115 votes

Charles H. O'Neill received in the sixth precinct two hundred and sixty-eight 268 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the seventh precinct two hundred and six 206 votes.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles H. O'Neill received in the first precinct one hundred and eighteen 118 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the second cinct one hundred and twenty-five 125 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the third precinct sixty-two 62 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-two 132 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the fifth precinct forty-one 41 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the sixth precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the seventh precinct one hundred and thirty-nine 139 votes.

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles H. O'Neill received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty-eight 168 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the second precinct two hundred and forty-two 242 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the third precinct two hundred and thirty-one 231 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the fourth precinct ninety-nine 99 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the sixth precinct seventy-four 74 votes,
Charles H. O'Neill received in the sixth precinct one hundred and seventy-seven 177 votes.

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles H. O'Neill received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-eight 138 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the second precinct seventy five 75 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-four 124 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-four 134 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the fifth precinct sixty-two 62 votes.

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles H. O'Neill received in the first precinct one hundred and seventy-nine 179 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the second precinct one hundred and sixty-five 165 votes.
Charles H. O'Neill received in the third precinct one hundred and thirty-five 135 votes.
Total number of votes received by Charles H. O'Neill four thousand eight hundred and seventy-two 4872.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT

Stephen Quaife received in the first precinct eighty 80 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the second precinct eighty-one 81 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the third precinct one hundred and fifteen 115 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the fourth precinct one hundred and ten 110 votes
Stephen Quaife received in the fifth precinct one hundred and eleven 111 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the sixth precinct one hundred and seventy-five 175 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the seventh precinct seventy-two 72 votes.

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Stephen Quaife received in the first precinct thirty-one 31 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the second precinct fifty-one 51 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the third precinct twelve 12 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the fourth precinct twenty-five 25 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the fifth precinct twenty-six 26 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the sixth precinct twenty-two 22 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the seventh precinct fifteen 15 votes.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Stephen Quaife received in the first precinct ninety-four 94 votes,
Stephen Quaife received in the second precinct eighty-three 83 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the third precinct one hundred and forty-nine 149 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the fourth precinct eighty 80 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the fifth precinct one hundred and five 105 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty 150 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the seventh precinct two hundred and twenty-four 224 votes.

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Stephen Quaife received in the first precinct one hundred 100 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the second precinct seventy-six 76 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the third precinct seventy-one 71 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-five 125 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the fifth precinct fifty-two 52 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the sixth precinct sixty-eight 68 votes

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Stephen Quaife received in the first precinct seventy five 75 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the second precinct ninety 90 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the third precinct one hundred and fifty four 154 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-six 126 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the fifth precinct ninety-six 96 votes.

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Stephen Quaife received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-four 154 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the second precinct one hundred and ninety-three 193 votes.
Stephen Quaife received in the third precinct one hundred and ninety five 195 votes.
Total number of votes received by Stephen Quaife three thousand three hundred and seventy six. 3376.
O'Neill received in the first precinct, first district, two 2 votes.
C. H. O'Neill received in the first precinct, first district, one 1 vote.
Sidney F Bevans received in the third precinct first district, one 1 vote,
William Clark received in the seventh precinct, first district, one 1 vote.
C. H. O'Neill received in the seventh precinct, first district, one 1 vote.
Mary Kennedy received in the seventh precinct first district, one 1 vote.
O'Neill received in the seventh precinct, first district, one 1 vote.
Charles Neill received in the third precinct, third district, one 1 vote.
C. H. O'Neill received in the third precinct, third district, three 3 votes.
H. N. Ege received in the third precinct, third district, one 1 vote.
J. W. Van Winkle received in the third precinct, third district, one 1 vote.
Jacob Weart received in the fifth precinct, third district, one 1 vote.
Tim Egan received in the fifth precinct, third district, one 1 vote.
James Gordon Bennett received in the seventh precinct, third district, one 1 vote
O'Nill received in the second precinct, fourth district, two 2 votes
S. Quaife received in the second precinct, fourth district, one 1 vote.
Charles H. O'Neil received in the fifth precinct, fourth district, seven 7 votes.
Christian Kratz received in the sixth precinct, fourth district, one 1 vote.
Mrs. Clarke received in the first precinct, fifth district, one 1 vote.
Bernard Simons received in the first precinct, fifth district, one 1 vote.
Abraham Lincoln received in the second precinct, fifth district, one 1 vote.
John C. Hopkins, Jr., received in the second precinct, fifth district, two 2 votes.
Thadeus Stevens received in the second precinct, fifth district, one 1 vote.
Bernard Simons received in the second precinct, fifth district, two 2 votes.
Andrew Charles H. O'Neill Jackson received in the second precinct, fifth district, one 1 vote.

Alexander Belfield received in the fifth precinct, fifth district, two 2 votes.
James Miller received in the fifth precinct, fifth district, one 1 vote.
Andy Howe received in the second precinct, sixth district one 1 vote.
Charles O'Nal received in the third precinct, sixth district, one 1 vote.
A. Jackson received in the third precinct, sixth district, two 2 votes.
O'Neill received in the third precinct, sixth district, one 1 vote.
Charles O'Neill received in the third precinct, sixth district, one 1 vote.
C. H. O'Neill received in the third precinct, sixth district, two 2 votes.
Total number of scattering votes for Mayor forty-eight 48.

For Officers in Aldermanic Districts.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMEN.

Benjamin F. Champney received in the first precinct ninety-eight 98 votes.
Benjamin F. Champney received in the second precinct ninety-four 94 votes.
Benjamin F. Champney received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-eight 128 votes.
Benjamin F. Champney received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
Benjamin F. Champney received in the fifth precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes.
Benjamin F. Champney received in the sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-three 193 votes.
Benjamin F. Champney received in the seventh precinct eighty-four 84 votes.
Total number of votes received by Benjamin F. Champney eight hundred and forty one 841.
Robert Bumsted received in the first precinct eighty-one 81 votes.
Robert Bumsted received in the second precinct ninety 90 votes.
Robert Bumsted received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
Robert Bumsted received in the fourth precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
Robert Bumsted received in the fifth precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
Robert Bumsted received in the sixth precinct one hundred and eighty-eight 188 votes.
Robert Bumsted received in the seventh precinct seventy-four 74 votes.
Total number of votes received by Robert Bumsted seven hundred and eighty five 785.
George W. Cassedy received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-four 124 votes.
George W. Cassedy received in the second precinct one hundred and seven 107 votes.
George W. Cassidy received in the third precinct ninety-three 93 votes.
George W. Cassidy received in the fourth precinct one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
George W. Cassedy received in the fifth precinct sixty-five 65 votes.
George W. Cassedy received in the sixth precinct sixty-five 65 votes.
George W. Cassedy received in the seventh precinct eighty three 83 votes.
Total number of votes received by George W. Cassedy six hundred and fifty-four 654 votes.
John McGuigan received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
John McGuigan received in the second precinct one hundred and three 103 votes.
John McGuigan received in the third precinct eighty-four 84 votes.
John McGuigan received in the fourth precinct one hundred and ten 110 votes.
John McGuigan received in the fifth precinct fifty-eight 58 votes.
John McGuigan received in the sixth precinct fifty-seven 57 votes.
John McGuigan received in the seventh precinct seventy-seven 77 votes.
Total number of votes received by John McGuigan six hundred and nine 609.

Dudley S. Steele received in the first precinct eleven 11 votes.
John B. Haight received in the first precinct eight 8 votes.
D. S. Steel received in the second precinct three 3 votes.
J. B. Haight received in the second precinct four 4 votes.
Marmaduke Tildon received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
William P. Douglass received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
Dudley S. Steele received in the third precinct four 4 votes.
John B. Haight received in the third precinct five 5 votes.
Marmaduke Tilden received in the third cinct one 1 vote.
Charles Stier received in the third precinct two 2 votes.
Dudley S. Steele received in the fourth precinct five 5 votes.
John B. Haight received in the fourth precinct four 4 votes.
Dudley S. Steele received in the fifth precinct two 2 votes.
John B. Haight received in the fifth precinct two 2 votes.
Dudley S. Steele received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
John B. Haight received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
David Taylor received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
E. W. Kingsland received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Porter received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
B. Champney received in the seventh precinct two 2 votes.
Benj. F. Champney received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Robt. Bumsted received in the seventh cinct one 1 vote.
John B. Haight received in the seventh precinct two 2 votes.
Ben F. Champney received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Dudley S. Steele received in the seventh precinct two 2 votes.
Total number of scattering votes for Alderman sixty-seven 67.

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

Jabez R. Parsons received in the first precinct eighty-five 85 votes.
Jabez R Parsons received in the second precinct eighty five 85 votes.
Jabez R. Parsons received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-six 126 votes.
Jabez R Parsons received in the fourth precinct one hundred and eight 108 votes.
Jabez R. Parsons received in the fifth precinct one hundred and nineteen 119 votes.
Jabez R Parsons received in the sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-three 193 votes.
Jabez R. Parsons received in the seventh precinct eighty 80 votes.
Total number of votes received by Jabez R. Parsons seven hundred and ninety six 796.
William A. Lewis received in the first precinct eighty-four 84 votes.
William A. Lewis received in the second precinct ninety-one 91 votes.
William A. Lewis received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes.
William A. Lewis received in the fourth precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
William A. Lewis received in the fifth precinct one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
William A. Lewis received in the sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-one 191 votes.
William A. Lewis received in the seventh precinct seventy-four 74 votes.
Total number of votes received by William A. Lewis seven hundred and ninety-seven 797.
John H. Garretson received in the first precinct ninety-one 91 votes.
John H. Garretson received in the second precinct ninety-eight 98 votes.
John H Garretson received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-seven 127 votes.

John H. Garretson received in the fourth precinct one hunered and fifteen 115 votes.
John H. Garretson received in the fifth precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes.
John H. Garretson received in the sixth precinct one hundred and eighty-two 182 votes.
John H. Garretson received in the seventh precinct seventy-seven 77 votes.
Total number of votes received by John H. Garretson eight hundred and thirteen 813
Matthew Monks received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-nine 129 votes.
Matthew Monks received in the second precinct one hundred and five 105 votes.
Matthew Monks received in the third precinct eighty-eight 88 votes.
Matthew Monks received in the fourth precinct one hundred and thirteen 113 votes,
Matthew Monks received in the fifth precinct fifty-seven 57 votes.
Matthew Monks received in the sixth precinct sixty 60 votes.
Matthew Monks received in the seventh precinct seventy-nine 79 votes.
Total number of votes received by Matthew Monks six hundred and thirty-one 631.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-five 125 votes.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the second precinct one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the third precinct eighty-nine 89 votes.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the fourth precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the fifth precinct sixty-one 61 votes.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the sixth precinct sixty-nine 69 votes.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the seventh precinct eighty-six 86 votes.
Total number of votes received by Patrick H Nugent six hundred and fifty-three 653.
Martin Kelly received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty six 126 votes.
Martin Kelly received in the second precinct one hundred and twenty-four 124 votes.
Martin Kelly received in the third precinct eighty-four 84 votes.
Martin Kelly received in the fourth precinct one hundred and nineteen 119 votes.
Martin Kelly received in the fifth precinct fifty-eight 58 votes,
Martin Kelly received in the sixth precinct fifty-four 54 votes,
Martin Kelly received in the seventh precinct eighty-five 85 votes.
Total number of votes received by Martin Kelly six hundred and fifty 650.
Thomas S. Negus received in the first precinct eight 8 votes.
Isaac Van Saun received in the first precinct seven 7 votes.
Pat Nugent received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
Monks received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
T. S. Negus received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
Harvey W. Soule received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
John McAugian received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
Thomas S. Negus received in the second precinct two 2 votes.
Thomas S. Negus received in the third cinct five 5 votes.
Isaac Van Saun received in the third precinct three 3 votes
John E. Cronham received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
H. M. Soule received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
W. B. Clayton received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
Thomas S. Negus received in the fourth precinct five 5 votes.
Isaac Van Saun received in the fourth precinct five 5 votes.
Thomas S. Negus received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
Isaac Van Saun received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
Thos. S. Negus received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
Patrick H Nugent received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
Isaac Van Saun received in the sixth precinct two 2 votes.
Negus received in the sixth precinct two 2 votes.
W. A. Lewis received in the seventh precinct three 3 votes.
Will G. Lewis received in the seventh precinctone 1 vote.
Robert Parsons received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Parsons received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote
Issac Van Saun received in the seventh precinct two 2 votes.
Thomas S. Negus received in the seventh precinct two 2 votes.
Total scattering votes for Chosen Freeholders sixty-one 61.

FOR MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Horatio N. Ege received in the first precinct eighty-six 86 votes.
Horatio N. Ege received in the second precinct ninety-six 96 votes,
Horatio N. Ege received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-six 126 votes.
Horatio N. Ege received in the fourth precinct one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
Horatio N. Ege received in the fifth precinct one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
Horatio N. Ege received in the sixth precinct one hundred and eighty-eight 188 votes.
Horatio N. Ege received in the seventh precinct seventy-nine 79 votes.
Total number of votes received by Horatio N. Ege eight hundred and thirteen 813.
William P. Douglass received in the first precinct eighty-six 86 votes.
William P. Douglass received in the second cinct ninety-eight 98 votes.
William P. Douglass received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty six 126 votes.
William P. Douglass received in the fourth precinct one hundred and nineteen 119 votes.
William P. Douglass received in the fifth precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes.
William P. Douglass received in the sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-two 192 votes.
William P. Douglass received in the seventh precinct seventy-eight 78 votes.
Total number of votes received by William P. Douglass eight hundred and twenty-two 822.
Isaac Van Saun received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-nine 129 votes.
Isaac Van Saun received in the second precinct one hundred and six 106 votes.
Isaac Van Saun received in the third precinct ninety-one 91 votes.
Isaac Van Saun received in the fourth precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
Isaac Van Saun received in the fifth precinct sixty-two 62 votes.
Isaac Van Saun received in the sixth precinct sixty-five 65 votes,
Isaac Van Saun received in the seventh precinct eighty-seven 87 votes.
Total number of votes received by Isaac Van Saun six hundred and fifty-six 656.
John McAnerny received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-eight 128 votes.
John McAnerny received in the second cinct one hundred and seven 107 votes.
John McAnerny received in the third precinct eight-seven 87 votes.
John McAnerny received in the fourth precinct one hundred and fifteen 115 votes.
John McAnerny received in the fifth precinct fifty-seven 57 votes.
John McAnerny received in the sixth precinct fifty-five 55 votes.
Jno. McAnerny received in the seventh precinct eighty-four 84 votes.
Total number of votes received by John McAnerny six hundred and thirty-three 633.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the first pricinct seven 7 votes.

Martin Kelly received in the first precinct seven 7 votes.
John McGuigan received in the first precinct seven 7 votes.
Thomas Potter received in the second precinct one vote 1 vote.
Thomas S. Neagus received in the second precinct two 2 votes.
Martin Kelly received in the second precinct three 3 votes.
Patrick Nugent received in the second precinct three 3 votes.
John McGuigan received in the second precinct two vote 2 votes.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the third precinct five 5 votes.
John McGuigan received in the third precinct five 5 votes.
Martin Kelly received in the third precinct three 3 votes.
Thomas Potter received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
J. W Pangborn received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the fifth precinct two 2 votes.
Martin Kelly received in the fifth precinct two 2 votes.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
Martin Kelly received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
S. C McLaughlin received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
Matthew Monks received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
Chas Scott received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
John Van Saun received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Patrick H. Nugent received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Martin Kelly received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
John McGuigan received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
W. C. Douglass received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Total number of scattering votes for members of the Board of Education sixty-one 61.

FOR CONSTABLES.

Richard Onslow received in the first precinct one hundred and thirteen 113 votes.
Richard Onslow received in the second precinct eighty-two 82 votes.
Richard Onslow received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
Richard Onslow received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twelve 112 votes.
Richard Onslow received in the fifth precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
Richard Onslow received in the sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-five 195 votes.
Richard Onslow received in the seventh precinct eighty-one 81 votes.
Total number of votes received by Richard Onslow eight hundred and seventeen 817.
John Richardson received in the first precinct seventy-eight 78 votes.
John Richardson received in the second precinct eighty-seven 87 votes.
John Richardson received in the third precinct one hundred and nineteen 119 votes.
John Richardson received in the fourth precinct one hundred and ten 110 votes.
John Richardson received in the fifth precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
John Richardson received in the sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-one 191 votes.
John Richardson received in the seventh precinct seventy 70 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Richardson seven hundred and sixty-nine 769 votes.
Elwell V. Hutton received in the first precinct eighty five 85 votes.
Elwell V. Hutton received in the second precinct ninety-two 92 votes
Elwell P. Hutton received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes.
Elwell P. Hutton received in the fourth precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
Elwell V. Hutton received in the fifth precinct ninety-nine 99 votes.
Elwell P. Hutton received in the fifth precinct twenty 20 votes.
Elwell V. Hutton received in the sixth precinct one hundred and eighty-eight 188 votes.
Elwell P. Hutton received in the seventh precinct seventy-four 74 votes.
Total number of votes received by Elwell V. Hutton and Elwell P. Hutton seven hundred and ninety-five 795.
James Mann received in the first precinct one hundred and eighteen 118 votes.
James Mann received in the second precinct one hundred and two 102 votes.
James Mann received in the third precinct ninety 90 votes.
James Mann received in the fourth precinct one hundred and six 106 votes.
James Mann received in the fifth precinct sixty-one 61 votes.
James Mann received in the sixth precinct sixty-three 63 votes.
James Mann received in the seventh precinct eighty-one 81 votes.
Total number of votes received by James Mann six hundred and twenty-one 621.
Bernard Harney received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-one 131 votes.
Bernard Harney received in the second precinct one hundred and eight 108 votes.
Bernard Harney received in the third precinct ninety two 92 votes.
Bernard Harney received in the fourth precinct one hundred and thirteen 113 votes.
Bernard Harney received in the fifth precinct fifty-seven 57 votes.
Bernard Harney received in the sixth precinct fifty-seven 57 votes.
Bernard Harney received in the seventh precinct eighty-three 83 votes.
Total number of votes received by Bernard Harney six hundred and forty-one 641.
John Quirk received in the first precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
John Quirk received in the second precinct one hundred and twenty-seven 127 votes.
John Quirk received in the third precinct ninety 90 votes.
John Quirk received in the fourth precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
John Quirk received in the fifth precinct fifty six 56 votes.
John Quirk received in the sixth precinct fifty-eight 58 votes.
John Quirk received in the seventh precinct eighty-five 85 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Quirk six hundred and forty-six 646 votes.
John Richards received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
P. Ownslow received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
Mrs. Welsh received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
Plug Mulraine received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
Henry C. Crafford received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
Martin Connolly received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
H. F. Crawford received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
D. F. Shaff received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
W. L. Schopp received in the third precinct one 1 vote,
James Robinson received in the fourth precinct five 5 votes.
Elwell P. Hutton received in the fifth precinct, twenty 20 votes.
Isaac Van Saun received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
P. On received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
John Quick received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
Onslow received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Robert Davis received in the seventh precinct two 2 vote

Total number of scattering votes for constable twenty 20.

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First Precinct.

William Poe received one hundred and forty three 143 votes.
George S. Gee received seventy-eight 78 votes.

Second Precinct.

William Poe received one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
George S Gee received eighty 80 votes.
John W. Parslow received one 1 vote.
Walter Van Derzee received one 1 vote.
Anna Ra mond received one 1 vote.

Third Precinct.

George S. Gee received one hundred and nine 109 votes.
William Poe received one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Walter Vanderzee received one 1 vote.
Alfred I Aldridge received one 1 vote.
S. W. Stilsing received one 1 vote.

Fourth Precinct

William Poe received one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
Geo. S. Gee received one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.

Fifth Precinct.

George S. Gee received one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
William Poe received sixty five 65 votes.

Sixth Precinct.

George S. Gee received one hundred and seventy-two 172 votes.
William Poe received seventy nine 79 votes.

Seventh Precinct

George S. Gee received seventy-three 73 votes.
William Poe received ninety 90 votes.

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FOR ALDERMEN.

James Meehan received in the first precinct eighty two 82 votes
James Meehan received in the second precinct fifty six 56 votes
James Meehan received in the third precinct forty eight 48 votes
James Meehan received in the fourth precinct ninety three 93 votes
James Meehan received in the fifth precinct thirty one 31 votes
James Meehan received in the sixth precinct one hundred and seventy six 6 votes
James Meehan received in the seventh precinct one hundred and eleven 111 votes
Total number of votes received by James Meehan five hundred and ninety seven 597 votes
John McLaughlin received in the first precinct one hundred and forty three 143 votes
John McLaughlin received in the second precinct one hundred and ninety eight 198 votes
John McLaughlin received in the third precinct fifty two 52 votes
John McLaughlin received in the fourth precinct forty one 41 votes
John McLaughlin received in the fifth precinct thirty seven 37 votes
John McLaughlin received in the sixth precinct ninety eight 98 votes
John McLaughlin received in the seventh precinct seventy three 73 votes
Total number of votes received by John McLaughlin six hundred and forty two 642 votes
John Egan received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty seven 127 votes
John Egan received in the second precinct one hundred and nineteen 119 votes
John Egan received in the third precinct forty seven 47 votes
John Egan received in the fourth precinct fifty four 54 votes
John Egan received in the fifth precinct eighty eight 88 votes
John Egan received in the sixth precinct eighty 80 votes
John Egan received in the seventh precinct fifty five 55 votes
Total number of votes received by John Egan five hundred and seventy 570 votes
James Herbert received in the first precinct seventy eight 78 votes
James Herbert received in the second precinct forty two 42 votes
James Herbert received in the third precinct forty one 41 votes
James Herbert received in the fourth precinct fifty one 51 votes
James Herbert received in the fifth precinct thirteen 13 votes
James Herbert received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty one 151 votes
James Herbert received in the seventh precinct one hundred and seventeen 117 votes
Total number of votes received by James Herbert four hundred and ninety three 493 votes
Patrick H Fury received in the first precinct no 0 votes
Patrick H Fury received in the second precinct eighty four 84 votes
Patrick H Fury received in the third precinct fifty two 52 votes
Patrick H Fury received in the fourth precinct forty nine 49 votes
Patrick H Fury received in the fifth precinct twenty four 24 votes
Patrick H Fury received in the sixth precinct five 5 votes
Patrick H Fury received in the seventh precinct fifteen votes 15 votes
Total number of votes received by Patrick H Fury two hundred and twenty nine 229 votes
Wilson Totten received in the first precinct twenty nine 29 votes
Wilson Totten received in the second precinct fifty one 51 votes
Wilson Totten received in the third precinct twelve 12 votes
Wilson Totten received in the fourth precinct twenty three 23 votes
Wilson Totten received in the fifth precinct twenty four 24 votes
Wilson Totten received in the sixth precinct nineteen 19 votes
Wilson Totten received in the seventh precinct five 5 votes
Total number of votes received by Wilson Totten one hundred and sixty three 163 votes
Alexander Robertson received in the first precinct forty seven 47 votes
Alexander Robertson received in the second precinct sixty eight 68 votes
Alexander Robertson received in the third precinct twelve 12 votes
Alexander Robertson received in the fourth precinct twenty three 23 votes
Alexander Robertson received in the fifth precinct twenty six 26 votes
Alexander Robertson received in the sixth precinct twenty five 25 votes
Alexander Robertson received in the seventh precinct eleven 11 votes
Total number of votes received by Alexander Robertson two hundred and twelve 212 votes
Bony Traphagen received in the third precinct one 1 vote
Sam Jackson received in the third precinct one 1 vote
Pat Fury received in the third precinct one 1 vote
T Herbert received in the third precinct one 1 vote
C Lee received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote
C V Traphagen received in the sixth precinct three 3 votes
C V Traphagan received in the seventh precinct five 5 votes
Peter C Westervelt received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote
Total number of scattering votes for Aldermen fourteen 14

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

James Harper received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-seven 137 votes.
James Harper received in the second precinct one hundred and thirty-six 136 votes.
James Harper received in the third precinct forty-one 41 votes.
James Harper received in the fourth precinct forty-three 43 votes.
James Harper received in the fifth precinct fifty-nine 59 votes.
James Harper received in the sixth precinct ninety-seven 97 votes.
James Harper received in the seventh precinct one hundred and twelve 112 votes.
Total number of votes received by James Harper six hundred and twenty-five 625
Daniel H. Hartigan received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-four 134 votes.
Daniel H. Hartigan received in the second precinct two hundred and sixteen 216 votes.
Daniel H. Hartigan received in the third precinct seventy-three 73 votes.
Daniel H. Hartigan received in the fourth precinct sixty-two 62 votes.
Daniel H. Hartigan received in the fifth precinct sixty-seven 67 votes.
Daniel H. Hartigan received in the sixth precinct one hundred 100 votes.
Daniel H. Hartigan received in the seventh precinct seventy-three 73 votes.
Total number of votes received by Daniel H. Hartigan seven hundred and twenty-five 725
Thomas J. Hannan received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-four 154 votes.
Thomas J. Hannan received in the second precinct two hundred and sixteen 216 votes.
Thomas J. Hannan received in the third precinct eighty-one 81 votes.
Thomas J. Hannan received in the fourth precinct fifty two 52 votes
Thomas J. Hannan received in the fifth precinct seventy-six 76 votes.
Thomas J. Hannan received in the sixth precinct ninety 90 votes.
Thomas J. Hannan received in the seventh precinct sixty-five 65 votes.
Total number of votes received by Thomas J. Hannan seven hundred and thirty-four 734
William Conway received in the first precinct thirty 30 votes
William Conway received in the second precinct one hundred and one 101 votes.
William Conway received in the third precinct thirty-eight 38 votes.
William Conway received in the fourth precinct fifty-two 52 votes.
William Conway received in the fifth precinct forty-six 46 votes.
William Conway received in the sixth precinct twenty-four 24 votes.
William Conway received in the seventh precinct five 5 votes.
Total number of votes received by William Conway two hundred and ninety-six 296
Levi Coover received in the first precinct twenty-nine 29 votes.
Levi Coover received in the second precinct fifty-eight 58 votes.
Levi Coover received in the third precinct thirteen 13 votes.
Levi Coover received in the fourth precinct twenty-four 24 votes.
Levi Coover received in the fifth precinct twenty-nine 29 votes.
Levi Coover received in the sixth precinct twenty-one 21 votes.
Levi Coover received in the seventh precinct seven 7 votes
Total number of votes received by Levi Coover one hundred and eighty-one 181
James Neissen received in the first precinct twenty-eight 28 votes.
James Neissen received in the second precinct fifty seven 57 votes,
James Neissen received in the third precinct thirteen 13 votes.
James Neissen received in the fourth precinct twenty-four 24 votes.
James Neissen received in the fifth precinct twenty-nine 29 votes.
James Neissen received in the sixth precinct twenty-three 23 votes.
James Neissen received in the seventh precinct, none no votes
Total number of votes received by James Neisson one hundred and seventy-four 174
Adam J. Ditmar received in the first precinct eighty-four 84 votes.
Adam J. Ditmar received in the second precinct eighty 80 votes.
Adam J. Ditmar received in the third precinct fifty two 52 votes.
Adam J. Ditmar received in the fourth precinct eighty-eight 88 votes.
Adam J. Ditmar received in the fifth precint twenty-five 25 votes.
Adam J. Ditmar received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-three 153 votes.
Adam J. Ditmar received in the seventh precinct ninety 90 votes.
Total number of votes received by dam J. Ditmar five hundred and seventy-two 572
Michael O'Grady received in the first precinct seventy-nine 79 votes.
Michael O'Grady received in the second precinct fifty-eight 58 votes.
Michael O'Grady received in the third precinct fifty 50 votes.
Michael O'Grady received in the fourth precinct ninety-one 91 votes.
Michael O'Grady received in the fifth precinct forty-one 41 votes.
Michael O'Grady received in the sixth precinct one hundred and sixty-seven 167 votes.
Michael O'Grady received in the seventh precinct one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
Total number of votes received by Michael O'Grady six hundred and seven 607
John Lennon received in the first precinct seventy-two 72 votes.
John Lennon received in the second precinct forty-eight 48 votes.
John Lennon received in the third precinct thirty-six 36 votes.
John Lennon received in the fourth precinct seventy-six 76 votes.
John Lennon received in the fifth precinct nineteen 19 votes.
John Lennon received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty seven 157 votes.
John Lennon received in the seventh precinct ninety six 96 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Lennon five hundred and four 504.
Michael McGrath received in the first precinct five 5 votes.
Edward Murphy received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
Daniel Murphy received in the second precinct two 2 votes.
John O'Rourke received in the second precinct two 2 votes.
M. O'Grady received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
Patrick Corden received in the fifth precinct four 4 votes.
Patrick H. Fagan received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
Charles N. Betts received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
James Neissen received in the seventh precinct nine 9 votes.
Total number of scattering votes for Chosen Freeholder twenty-six 26.

MEMBERS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Patrick H. Laverty received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-three 143 votes.
Patrick H. Laverty received in the second precinct two hundred and sixty-five 265 votes.
Patrick H. Laverty received in the third precinct fifty-nine 59 votes.
Patrick H. Laverty received in the fourth precinct eighty-one 81 votes.
Patrick H. Laverty received in the fifth precinct ninety-five 95 votes.
Patrick H. Laverty received in the sixth precinct one hundred and ten 110 votes.
Patrick H. Laverty received in the seventh precinct, eighty-nine 89 votes.
Total number of votes received by Patrick H. Laverty eight hundred and forty-two 842.
John Barry received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-three 143 votes.
John Barry received in the second pre-

cinct one hundred and fifty-five 155 votes.
John Barry received in the third precinct forty-nine 49 votes.
John Barry received in the fourth precinct forty one 41 votes.
John Barry received in the fifth precinct sixty-five 65 votes.
John Barry received in the sixth precinct eighty-three 83 votes.
John Barry received in the seventh precinct sixty-seven 67 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Barry six hundred and three 603.
Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan received in the first precinct eighty-one 81 votes.
Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan received in the second precinct forty-four 44 votes.
Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan received in the third precinct forty-four 44 votes.
Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan received in the fourth precinct ninety-one 91 votes.
Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan received in the fifth precinctt wenty-six 26 votes.
Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan received in the Sixth precinct one hundred and seventy-five 175 votes.
Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan received in the seventh precinct one hundred and fifteen 115 votes.
Total number of votes received by Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan five hundred and seventy-six 576
Edward L. Murphy received in the first precinct eighty four 84 votes.
Edward L. Murphy received in the second precinct ninety-three 93 votes.
Edward L Murphy received in the third precinct fifty-three 53 votes.
Edward L. Murphy received in the fourth precinct eighty-one 81 votes.
Edward L. Murphy received in the fifth precinct twenty-eight 28 votes
Edward L. Murphy received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-four 154 votes.
Edward L Murphy received in the seventh precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
Total number of votes received by Edward L. Murphy six hundred and seven 607.
Henry Hanks received in the first precinct thirty-two 32 votes.
Henry Hanks received in the second precinct fifty-seven 57 votes.
Henry Hanks received in the third precinct twelve 12 votes.
Henry Hanks received in the fourth precinct twenty-five 25 votes
Henry Hanks received in the fifth precinct twenty-seven 27 votes.
Henry Hanks received in the sixth precinct twenty-two 22 votes.
Henry Hanks received in the seventh precinct eight 8 votes.
Total number of votes received by Henry Hanks one hundred and eighty-three 181.
J. H. Burgess received in the first precinct thirty-one 31 votes.
J. H. Burgess received in the second precinct fifty-six 56 votes.
J. H. Burgess received in the third precinct twelve 12 votes.
J H. Burgess received in the fourth precinct twenty-five 25 votes.
J. H. Burgess received in the fifth precinct twenty-nine 29 votes
J. H. Burgess received in the sixth precinct twenty-two 22 votes.
J. H. Burgess received in the seventh precinct six 6 votes.
Total number of votes received by J. H. Burgess one hundred and eighty-one 181 votes.
Philip Reilly received in the second precinct fifteen 15 votes.
Patrick Maloney received in the second precinct eleven 11 votes.
Philip Reilly received in the third precinct seventeen 17 votes.
Patrick Malone received in the third precinct three 3 votes.
P. H. Laverty received in the third precinct thirty-two 32 votes.
J. S. Sullivan received in the third precinct two 2 votes.
Edward Murphy received in the third precinct two 2 votes.
Philip Reilly received in the fourth precinct eighteen 18 votes.
Patrick Ma'one received in the fourth precinct three 3 votes.
Philip Reilly received in the fifth precinct eight 8 votes.
Philip Reilly received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
Philip Reilly received in the seventh precinct three 3 votes.
Total number of scattering votes for members of the Board of Education one hundred and fifteen 115 votes

FOR CONSTABLES.

John Feely received in the first precinct one hundred and six 106 votes.
John Feely received in the second precinct one hundred and eighty-five 185 votes.
John Feely received in the third precinct eighty-eight 88 votes.
John Feely received in the fourth precinct sixty-eight 68 votes.
John Feely received in the fifth precinct seventy-four 74 votes.
John Feely received in the sixth precinct one hundred and five 105 votes.
John Feely received in the seventh precinct sixty-nine 69 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Feeley six hundred and five 605.
John Holmes received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-eight 148 votes.
John Holmes received in the second precinct one hundred and ninety-three 193 votes
John Holmes received in the third precinct seventy-one votes 71 votes.
John Holmes received in the fourth precinct sixty-four 64 votes.
John Holmes received in the fifth precinct seventy-five 75 votes.
John Holmes received in the sixth precinct ninety-seven 97 votes.
John Holmes received in the seventh precinct one hundred and thirty-four 134 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Holmes seven hundred and eighty-two 782.
Felix Dolan received in the first precinct ninety-two 92 votes.
Felix Dolan received in the second precinct forty-four 44 votes.
Felix Dolan received in the third precinct eight 8 votes
Felix Dolan received in the fourth precinct eighteen 18 votes
Felix Dolan received in the fifth precinct no 0 votes.
Felix Dolan received in the sixth precinct thirty-eight 38 votes.
Felix Dolan received in the seventh precinct ten 10 votes.
Total number received by Felix Dolan two hundred and ten 210
John O'Keeffe received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-two 132 votes.
John O'Keeffe received in the second precinct two hundred 200 votes.
John O'Keeffe received in the third precinct one hundred and four 104 votes.
John O'Keeffe received in the fourth precinct one hundred and forty 140 votes.
John O'Keeffe received in the fifth precinct sixty-eight 68 votes.
John O'Keeffe received in the sixth precinct one hundred and seventy-three 173 votes.
John O'Keeffe received in the seventh precinct one hundred and thirty-four 134 votes
Total number of votes received by John O'Keeffe nine hundred and fifty-one 951.
John Dolan received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes.
John Dolan received in the second precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
John Dolan received in the third precinct fifty-six 56 votes.
John Dolan received in the fourth precinct eighty-nine 89 votes.
John Dolan received in the fifth precinct fifty-eight 58 votes.
John Dolan received in the sixth precinct two hundred and twenty-one 221 votes.
John Dolan received in the seventh pre-

cinct one hundred and seventy-nine 179 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Dolan eight h ndred and forty. 840.
Patrick Donnelly received in the first precinct seventy-five 75 votes
Patrick Donnelly received in the second precinct forty-four 44 votes.
Patrick Donnelly received in the third precinct thirty-five 35 votes.
Patrick Donnelly received in the fourth precinct seventy-nine 79 votes.
Patrick Donnelly received in the fifth precinct nineteen 19 votes.
Patrick Donnelly received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty 150 votes.
Patrick Donnelly received in the seventh precinct six y 60 votes.
Total number of votes received by Patrick Donnelly four hundred and sixty-two 462 votes.
John Mack received in the first precinct thirty 30 votes.
John Mack received in the second precinct fifty-four 54 votes.
John Mack received in the third precinct twelve 12 votes.
John Mack received in the fourth precinct twenty-four 24 votes.
John Mack received in the fifth precinct twenty-eight 28 votes.
John Mack received in the sixth precinct twenty-three 23 votes.
John Mack received in the seventh precinct four 4 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Mack one hundred and seventy five 175.
Robert Har iott received in the first precinct thirty-two 32 votes.
Robert Harriott received in the second precinct fifty four 54 votes.
Robert Harriott received in the third precinct eleven 11 votes.
Robert Harriott received in the fourth precinct twenty-seven 27 votes
Robert Harriott received in the fifth precinct twenty-eight 28 votes.
Robert Harriott received in the sixth precinct twenty-five 25 votes.
Robert Harriott received in the seventh precinct six 6 votes.
Total number of votes received by Robert Harriott one hundred and eighty-three 183,
John J. Bell received in the first precinct thirty two 32 votes.
John J. Bell received in the second precinct sixty 60 votes.
John J. Bell received in the third precinct thirteen 13 votes.
John J. Bell received in the fourth precinct twenty-five 25 votes.
John J. Bell received in the fifth precinct twenty-eight 28 votes.
John J. Bell received in the sixth precinct twenty-five 25 votes.
John J. Bell received in the seventh precinct five 5 votes.
Total number of votes received by John J. Bell one hundred and eighty-eight 188.
Michael O'Keefe received in the second precinct four 4 votes.
Thomas Hare received in the second precint one vote 1 vote.
John Heeley received in the second precinct one 1 vote,
Michael O Keefe received in the third precinct four 4 votes.
Pat Connell received in the third precinct, one 1 vote.
Pat Looney received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
John B. Evans received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
Total number of scattering votes for constable thirteen 13 votes.

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First Precinct.

Edward McGinniss received thirty-two 32 votes.
Peter Dobbs received thirty-one 31 votes.
John H. Meyers received thirty-two 32 votes.
Joseph Waring received one hundred and thirty 130 votes.
Felix Dolan received eighty-one 81 votes.
James Corrigan received one hundred and forty-one 141 votes.
J. B. Evans received forty-three 43 votes.
Benjamin J. F. Rober's received one hundred and fo ty-four 144 votes.
Hugh Killeen received eighty-four 84 votes
Thomas Delaney received eighty-two 82 votes.
Michael Rosenthal received thirty 30 votes.

Second Precinct.

Hu h Killeenn received ninety-two 92 votes.
Jos-ph Waring received one hundred and forty 40 votes.
James Corrigan received one hundred and sixty-eight 168 votes.
Benjamin J. F. Roberts received one hundred and seventy-two 172 votes.
John B. Evans received ninety-six 96 votes.
Thomas Delaney received fifty-three 53 votes.
Felix Dolan received fifty-three 53 votes.
Ed. McGianess received fifty-six 56 votes
Peter Dobbs received fifty-nine 59 votes.
John H. Meyer received fifty-nine 59 votes.
Charles Rosenthal received fifty seven 57 votes.
Michael Purcell receive i forty-three 43 votes.
Joseph P. Brower received sixteen 16 votes.
Michael O'Keefe received twenty-four 24 votes.

Third Pre inct

Joseph Wareing received forty-one 41 votes.
James Corrigan received forty-one 41 votes.
Benjamin J. F. Roberts received forty-two 42 votes.
Edward McGinnis received six 6 votes.
Peter Dobbs received three 3 votes.
John H. Meyers received seven 7 votes.
Hugh Killeen received forty-three 43 votes.
Thomas Delaney received forty-two 42 votes.
Felix Dolan received forty-one 41 votes.
Charles Rosenthal received seven 7 votes.
Michael Purcell received five 5 votes.
Joseph B. Brower received five 5 votes.
B J. Roberts received one 1 vote.
John O'Keefe received one 1 vote.
John B. Evans received three 3 votes.

Fourth Precinct.

Edward McGuinness received twenty-six 26 votes.
Michael O'Keip received three 3 votes.
Peter Dobbs rece ved twenty-five 25 votes.
John H. Myers received twenty-five 25 votes.
Charles Rosenthald received twenty-five 25 votes.
Hugh Killen received eighty six 86 votes.
Thomas Delaney received eighty-six 86 votes.
Felix Dolin received eighty-four 84 votes.
Joseph Warring received forty-four 44 votes.
James Garrison received sixty-five 65 votes.
Benjamin J F. Roberts received sixty-two 62 votes.
Michael Purcell received twenty five 25 votes.
John B. Everns received th rty four votes 34 votes.

Fifth Precinct.

Michael Purcell received fifteen 15 votes.
John B Evens received fifty-three 53 votes.
James Corrigan received eighty nine 89 votes.
Benjamin J. F. Roberts rece ved eighty-three 83 votes.
Joseph Wareing received seventy-seven 77 votes.
Hugh Killeen received seventeen 17 votes.
Thomas Delaney received twenty-one 21 votes.
Felix Dolan received twenty 20 votes.
Edward McGinnis received twenty-nine 29 votes.
Peter Dobbs received twenty-eight 28 votes.
John H. Meyers received twenty-eight 28 votes.
Charles Rosenthal received twenty-nine 29 votes.

Sixth Precinct.

Edward McGinness received twenty-three 23 votes.
Peter Dobbs received twenty-three 23 votes.
John H. Meyers received twenty-three 23 votes.
Charles Rosenthal received twen y 20 votes.
Michael Purcell received 1 vote.
Joseph P. Brown received one 1 vote.
W. E. Gereiz received two 2 votes.
Hugh Killeen received one hundred and fifty-five 155 votes.
Felix Dolan received one hundred and fifty-three 153 votes.
Joseph Wareing received one hundred and four 104 votes.
John B. Evnes received thirty-five 35 votes.
James Corrigan received one hundred and five 105 votes.
Benjamin J. F. Roberts received one hundred and two 102 votes
Thomas Delaney received one hundred and fifty-eight 158 votes.

Seventh Precinct.

James Corrigan received seventy-four 74 vote

Joseph Warren received seventy-two 72 votes.
Benjamin J. F. Roberts received sixty eight 68 votes.
John B. Evans received forty-two 42 votes.
Michael Purcell received two 2 votes.
Hugh Killeen received one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
Thomas Delaney received one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
Felix Dolan received one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
Edward McGinniss received eight 8 votes.
Peter Dobbs received eight 8 votes.
John H. Meyers received seven 7 votes.
Charles Rosenthall received five 5 votes.
Crohr received one 1 vote.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMEN.

Marmaduke Tilden received in the first precinct ninety-eight 98 votes.
Marmaduke Tilden received in the second precinct ninety 90 votes.
Marmaduke Tilden received in the third precinct one hundred and sixty-six 166 votes.
Marmaduke Tilden received in the fourth precinct one hundred and nine 109 votes.
Marmaduke Tilden received in the fifth precinct one hundred and thirteen 113 votes.
Marmaduke Tilden received in the sixth precinct one hundred and sixty-three 163 votes.
Marmaduke Tilden received in the seventh precinct two hundred and twenty-four 224 votes.
Total number of votes received by Marmaduke Tilden nine hundred and sixty-three 963.
Charles Stier received in the first precinct one hundred and ninety-three 193 votes.
Charles Stier received in the second precinct one hundred and eighty-seven 187 votes.
Charles Stier received in the third precinct one hundred and ninety-two 192 votes.
Charles Stier received in the fourth precinct one hundred and seventy-five 175 votes.
Charles Stier received in the fifth precinct one hundred and twenty-seven 127 votes.
Charles Stier received in the sixth precinct two hundred and twenty five 225 votes.
Charles Stier received in the seventh precinct three hundred and twenty-three 323 votes.
Total number of votes received by Charles Stier one thousand four hundred and twenty-two 1,422.
William D. Hart received in the first precinct one hundred and ten 110 votes.
William D. Hart received in the second precinct one hundred and eighteen 118 votes.
William D. Hart received in the Third precinct sixty-two 62 votes.
William D. Hart received in the fourth precinct one hundred and thirty 130 votes.
William D. Hart received in the fifth precinct forty-one 41 votes.
William D. Hart received in the sixth precinct one hundred and twenty-four 124 votes.
William D. Hart received in the seventh precinct one hundred and thirty-six 136 votes.
Total number of votes received by William D. Hart seven hundred and twenty-one 721.
David A. Peloubet received in the first precinst one 1 vote.
David A. Peloubet received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
David A. Peloubet received in the third precinct five 5 votes
David A. Peloubet received in the fourth precinct six 6 votes.
David A. Peloubet received in the fifth precinct two 2 votes.
David A Peloubet received in the sixth precinct five 5 votes.
David A Peloubet received in the seventh precinct fifteen 15 votes.
Total number of votes received by David A. Peloubet thirty-five 35
James S. Norris received in the first precinct three 3 votes.
Lewis Smith received in the first precinct two 2 votes.
Z. K. Pangborn received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
Andrew Brannigan received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
James Muldoon received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
J. M. Quimby received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
Henry W Drayton received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
M. D. Tilden received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
W. D. Hart received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
Alexander Robertson received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
Wilson Totten received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
Charles Elston received in the sixth precinct two 2 votes.
Stephen B. Ransom received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Benjamin Van Riper received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Albert Renning received in the seventh precinct two 2 votes.
Total number of scattering votes for Aldermen twenty 20.

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

John E. Cronham received in the first precinct eighty one 81 votes.
John E. Cronham received in the second precinct eighty-five 85 votes.
John E Cronham received in the third precinct one hundred and forty-two 142 votes.
John E. Cronham received in the fourth precinct eighty-five 85 votes.
John E Cronham received in the fifth precinct one hundred and two 102 votes.
John E. Cronham received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-nine 159 votes.
John E. Cronham received in the seventh precinct two hundred and twenty-seven 227 votes.
Total number of votes received by John E. Cronham eight hundred and eighty-one 881 votes.
Harvey M. Soule received in the first precinct ninety-three 93 votes.
Harvey M. Soule received in the second precinct eighty-nine 89 votes.
Harvey M. Soule received in the third precinct one hundred and fifty 150 votes.
Harvey M. Soule received in the fourth precinct ninety-two 92 votes.
Harvey M. Soule received in the fifth precinct one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Harvey M.Soule received in the sixth precinct one hundred and sixty-two 162 votes.
Harvey M. Soule received in the seventh precinct two hundred and twenty-five 225 votes.
Total number of votes received by Harvey M. Soule nine hundred and eighteen 918 votes.
William R. Clayton received in the first precinct ninety 90 votes.
William R. Clayton received in the second precinct ninety-two 92 votes.
William R Clayton received in the third precinct one hundred and forty-seven 147 votes.
William R Clayton received in the fourth precinct eighty seven 87 votes.
William R. Clayton received in the fifth precinct one hundred and three 103 votes.
William R. Clayton received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-six 156 votes.
William R. Clayton received in the seventh precinct two hundred and twenty 220 votes.
Total number of votes received by William R. Clayton eight hundred and ninety-five 895
Neil Campbell received in the first precinct one hundred and eighteen 118 votes,
Neil Campbell received in the second precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
Neil Campbell received in the third precinct sixty-nine 69 votes.
Neil Campbell received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-two 122 votes.
Neil Campbell received in the fifth precinct forty-two 42 votes.
Neil Campbell received in the sixth precinct one hundred and six 106 votes.
Neil Campbell received in the seventh precinct one hundred and thirty-five 135 votes.
Total number of votes received by Neil Campbell seven hundred and eight 708.
Michael J. McHugh received in the first precint one hundred and thirty-two 132 votes.
Michael J. McHugh received in the second

precinct one hundred and twenty-two 122 votes.
Michael J. McHugh received in the third precinct seventy-five 75 votes.
Michael J. McHugh received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
Michael J. McHugh received in the fifth precinct forty-four 44 votes.
Michael J. McHugh received in the sixth precinct one hundred and six 106 votes.
Michael J. McHugh received in the seventh precinct one hundred and twenty-five 125 votes
Total number of votes received by Michael J. McHugh, seven hundred and twenty-five 725.
Jonathan J. Durant received in the first precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
Jonathan J. Durant received in the second precinct one hundred and eight 108 votes.
Jonathan J. Durant received in the third precinct sixty-three 63 votes.
Jonathan J. Durant received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
Jonathan J. Durant received in the fifth precinct forty-one 41 votes.
Jonathan J. Durant received in the sixth precinct one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Jonathan J. Durant received in the seventh precinct one hundred and twenty-eight 128 votes.
Total number of votes received by Jonathan J. Durant, six hundred and eighty-one 681.
Mike McCue received in first precinct one 1 vote.
MacLauchlin received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
N. Campbell received in the third precinct one 1 vote,
W. M. Conway received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote,
Thos. J. Hannan received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
James Neisson received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
Louis E. Johnson received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
John W. Pangborn received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
Total number of scattering votes for chosen freeholders eight 8.

FOR MEMBERS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Thomas Potter received in the first precinct ninety-four 94 votes.
Thomas Potter received in the second precinct eighty-seven 87 votes.
Thomas Potter received in the third precinct one hundred and forty-three 143 votes.
Thomas Potter received in the fourth precinct seventy-six 76 votes.
Thomas Potter received in the fifth precinct one hundred and three 103 votes.
Thomas Potter received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-one 151 votes.
Thomas Potter received in the seventh precinct two hundred and twenty-four 224 votes.
Total number of votes received by Thomas Potter eight hundred and seventy eight 878
John W. Pangborn received in the first precinct ninety-three 93 votes.
John W. Pangborn received in the second precinct eighty-six 86 votes.
John W. Pangborn received in the third precinct one hundred and forty-six 146 votes.
John W. Pangborn received in the fourth precinct seventy-eight 78 votes.
John W. Pangborn received in the fifth precinct one hundred and three 103 votes.
John W. Pangborn received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-one 151 votes.
John W. Pangborn received in the seventh precinct two hundred and nineteen 219 votes.
Total number of votes received by John W. Pangborn eight hundred and seventy-six 876
Andrew A. Gaddis received in the first precinct one hundred and eighteen 118 votes.
Andrew A. Gaddis received in the second precinct one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
Andrew A. Gaddis received in the third precinct sixty-four 64 votes.
Andrew A. Gaddis received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-four 124 votes.
Andrew A. Gaddis received in the fifth precinct thirty seven 37 votes
Andrew A. Gaddis received in the sixth precinct one hundred and twelve 112 votes
Andrew A. Gaddis received in the seventh precinct one hundred and twenty-nine 129 votes.
Total number of votes received by Andrew A. Gaddis seven hundred and four 704
Stephen B. Ransom received in the first precinct one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
Stephen B. Ransom received in the second precinct one hundred and thirteen 113 votes.
Stephen B. Ransom received in the third precinct seventy-one 71 votes.
Stephen B. Ransom received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-seven 127 votes.
Stephen B. Ransom received in the fifth precinct forty-four 44 votes
Stephen B. Ransom received in the sixth precinct one hundred and eleven 111 votes.
Stephen B. Ransom received in the seventh precinct one hundred and thirty-six 136 votes.
Total number of votes received by Stephen B. Ransom seven hundred and nineteen 719
Thomas Patto received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
Bull McLaughlin received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
S B. Ransom received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
H. Sewell received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
Neil Campbell received in third precinct one 1 vote.
Neil Campbell received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
Jonathan Durant received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
Pug Mulraine received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
Henry Hanks received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
J. H. Burgess received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
Samuel B. Ransom received in the seventh precinct one 1 vote.
Total number of scattering votes for Member of Board of Education eleven 11.

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Henry F. Crawford received in the first precinct eighty-seven 87 votes.
Henry F. Crawford received in the second precinct one hundred and thirty-four 134 votes.
Henry F. Crawford received in the third precinct one hundred and forty-four 144 votes.
Henry F. Crawford received in the fourth precinct eighty-one 81 votes.
Henry T. Crawford received in the fifth precinct one hundred and two 102 votes.
Henry T. Crawford received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-two 152 votes.
Henry T. Crawford received in the seventh precinct two hundred and twenty-four 224 votes.
Total number of votes received by Henry F. Crawford nine hundred and twenty-four 924
Daniel F. Shea received in the first precinct one hundred and one 101 votes.
Daniel F. Shea received in the second precinct eighty-three 83 votes.
Daniel F. Shea received in the third precinct one hundred and forty-five 145 votes.
Daniel F. Shea received in the fourth precinct seventy-nine 79 votes.
Daniel F. Shea received in the fifth precinct one hundred and one 101 votes.
Daniel F. Shea received in the sixth precinct one hundred and forty-four 144 votes.
Daniel F. Shea received in the seventh precinct two hundred and eleven 211 votes.
Total number of votes received by Daniel F. Shea eight hundred and sixty-four 864
William L. Schopp received in the first precinct ninety-one 91 votes.
William L. Schopp received in the second precinct ninety 90 votes.
William L. Schopp received in the third precinct one hundred and forty six 146 votes.
William L. Schopp received in the fourth precinct eighty-four 84 votes
William L. Schopp received in the fifth precinct one hundred and seven 107 votes.
William L. Schopp received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-two 152 votes.
William L. Schopp received in the seventh precinct two hundred and twenty-six 226 votes.
Total number of votes received by William

L Schopp eight hundred and ninety six 896
Michael J. O'Brien received in the first precinct one hundred and five 105 votes.
Michael J. O'Brien received in the second precinct one hundred and thirteen 113 votes.
Michael J. O'Brien received in the third precinct fifty-one 5 votes
Michael J. O'Brien received in the fourth precinct one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
Michael J. O'Brien received in the fifth precinct thirty-three 33 votes.
Michael J O'Brien receiv d in the sixth precinct one hundred and four 104 votes.
Michael J. O'Brien received in the seventh precinct one hundred and thirty-four 134 votes.
Total number of votes received by Michael J. O'Brien six hundred and fifty-seven 657
Michael McAnally received in the first precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
Michael M Anally received in the second precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
Michael McAnaly received in the third precinct fifty-five 55 votes.
Michael McAnally received in the fourth precinct one hundred and nineteen 119 votes.
Michael McAnally received in the fifth precinct thirty-five 35 votes.
Michael McAnally received in the sixth precinct one hundred and five 105 votes.
Michael McAnally received in the seventh precinct one hundred and thirty five 135 votes.
Total number of votes received by Michael McAnally six hundred and eighty-one 681.
Walter Van Derzee received in the first precinct one hundred and one 101 votes.
Walter Van Derzee received in the second precinct sixty-three 63 votes.
Walter Van Derzee received in the third precinct fifty three 53 votes.
Walter Van Derzee received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-five 125 votes.
Walter Van Derzee received in the fifth precinct thirty-five 35 votes.
Walter Van Derzee received in the sixth precinct ninety-three 93 votes.
Walter Van Derzee received in the seventh precinct one hundred and twenty-six 126 votes.
Total number of votes received by Walter Van Derzee five hundred and ninety-six 596 votes.
Daniel Watson received in the first precinct twenty 20 votes.
Daniel Watson received in the second precinct twelve 12 votes.
Daniel Watson received in the third precinct twenty-five 25 votes,
Daniel Watson received in the fourth precinct thirteen 13 votes.
Daniel Watson received in the fifth precinct fourteen 14 votes.
Daniel Watson received in the sixth precinct eleven 11 votes
Daniel Watson received in the seventh precinct twenty seven 27 votes.
Total number of votes received by Daniel Watson one hundred and twenty-two 122.
James W. Cutter received in the first precinct two 2 votes.
James W. Cutter received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
James W. Cutter received in the third precinct five 5 votes,
James W. Cutter received in the fourth precinct seven 7 votes.
James W. Cutter received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
James W Cutter received in the sixth precinct seven 7 votes.
James W. Cutter received in the seventh precinct seventeen 17 votes.
Tota number of votes received by James W. Cutter forty 40 votes.
Michael Fanan received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
Wm. Schopp received in the third pr cinct one 1 vote,
Dan Shea received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
H. F. Crawford received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
Robert Harriott received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
John J. Bell received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
John Mac received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
George W. Anthony received in the sixth precinct two 2 votes.
Richard Onslow received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
T tal nu ber of scattering votes for Constable ten 10 votes.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

First Precinct.

Frank C. Hollins received one hundred and thirteen 113 votes.
Joseph Warren received one hundred and twelve 112 votes
Richard Garrick received one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
John J. Bouton received one hundred and nine 109 votes
Walter Van Derzee received ninety-eight 98 votes.
Alfred J. Aldridge received ninety-one 91 votes.
Samuel W. Stilsing received ninety-nine 99 votes.

Second Precinct.

John J. Bouton received sixty-one 61 votes.
Samuel W. Stilsing received eighty-seven 87 votes.
Walter Vanderzee received eighty-four 84 votes.
Alfred J. Aldridge received seventy eight 78 votes.
Frank C. Hollins received one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Joseph Warren received one hundred and twenty-four 124 votes.
Richard Garrick received one hundred and thirteen 113 votes.

Third Precinct.

Frank C. Hollins received sixty-one 61 votes.
Joseph Warren received sixty-nine 69 votes.
Richard Garrick received fifty-four 54 votes.
John J. Bouton received forty-two 42 votes.
Walter Vanderzee received one hundred and fifty-two 152 votes.
Alexander J. Aldridge received one hundred and thirty-nine 139 votes.
Samuel W Stilsing received one hundred and seventy-three 173 votes.
J Bouton received one 1 vote.
J. Warren received one 1 vote.
J W. Bowdon received one 1 vote
John Bowton received one 1 vote
J. J. Bouton received one 1 vote

Fourth Precinct.

Walter Vanderzee received eighty four 84 votes.
Alfred J. Aldridge received eighty-eight 88 votes.
Samuel W Stilsing received ninety-five 95 votes.
Frank C. Hollins received one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
Joseph Warren received one hundred and fifteen 115 votes.
Richard Garrick received one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
John J. Bouton received one hundred and ten 110 votes.
Edward McGinnis received one 1 vote.
Peter Dobbs received one 1 vote.
John H. Meyers received one 1 vote.
Chas H. Rosenthal received one 1 vote.

Fifth Precinct.

Walter Vanderzee received one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Alfred J. Aldridge received one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Samuel W. Stilsing received one hundred and twelve 112 votes.
Frank C. Hollins received thirty-eight 38 votes.
Joseph Warren received thirty-four 34 votes.
Richard Garrick received thirty-one 31 votes.
John J. Bouton received thirty-four 34 votes.

Sixth Precinct.

Samuel W. Stilsing received one hundred and fifty-five 155 votes.
Alfred J. Aldridge received one hundred and fifty-five 155 votes.
Walter Vanderzee received one hundred and fifty-five 155 votes.
Richard Garrick received one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Frank C. Hollins received one hundred and

five 105 votes.
Joseph Warren received ninety-three 93 votes.
John J. Bouton received ninety-two 92 votes.

Seventh Precinct.

Walter Vanderzee received two hundred and twenty-two 222 votes
Alfred J. Aldridge received two hundred and twenty-two 222 votes.
Samuel W Stilsing received two hundred and thirty 230 votes.
Frank C. Hollins received one hundred and thirty-seven 137 votes.
Joseph Warren received one hundred and twenty seven 127 votes.
Richard Garrick received one hundred and twenty-nine 129 votes
John J. Bouton received one hundred and twenty six 126 votes.

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMEN

John B. Ginnochio received in the first precinct one hundred and forty five 145 votes.
John B. Ginnochio received in the second precinct two hundred and six 206 votes.
John B. Ginnochio received in the third precinct one hundred and eighty six 186 votes.
John B. Ginnochio received in the fourth precinct fifty seven 57 votes.
John B. Ginnochio received in the fifth precinct seventy two 72 votes.
John B.Ginnochio received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty four 154 votes.
Total number of votes received by John B Ginnochio eight hundred and twenty 820.
William A. Weeks received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty one 121 votes.
William A. Weeks received in the second precinct one hundred and forty four 144 votes,
William A. Weeks received in the third precinct one hundred and forty two 142 votes.
William A. Weeks received in the fourth precinct eighty nine 89 votes.
William A. Weeks received in the fifth precinct forty one 41 votes.
William A. Weeks received in the sixth precinct one hundred and twenty six 126 votes.
Total number of votes received by William A Weeks six hundred and sixty three 663
Arend Steenken received in first precinct one hundred and thirty five 135 votes.
Arend Steenken received in second precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
Arend Steenken received in third precinct one hundred and forty three 143 votes.
Arend Steenken received in the fourth precinct one hundred and fifteen 115 votes.
Arend Steenken received in fifth precinct sixty one 61 votes.
Arend Steenkenreceived in sixth precinct ninety-nine 99 votes.
Total number of votes received by Arend Steenken six hundred and sixty-seven 667
John S. Edwards received in first precinct one hundred and one 101 votes.
John S. Edwards received in second precinct one hundred and twelve 112 votes
John S. Edwards received in third precinct eighty-nine 89 votes
John S. Edwards received in fourth precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes
John S. Edwards received in fifth precinct fifty-three 53 votes
John S. Edwards received in sixth precinct thirty-five 35 votes
Total number of votes received by John S. Edwards five hundred and six 506 votes
Timothy L. Lynch received in first precinct three 3 votes
Timothy L. Lynch received in second precinct fifty-five votes 55 votes
Timothy L. Lynch received in third precinct thirty-two 32 votes
Timothy L. Lynch received in fourth precinct twenty-eight 28 votes
Timothy L. Lynch received in fifth precinct twenty-eight 28 votes
Timothy L. Lynch received in sixth precinct thirty-nine 39 votes
Total number of votes received by Timothy L. Lynch one hundred and eighty-five 185 votes
J. B. Ginnochio received in the second precinct two 2 votes
Enoch Wheaton received in the third precinct eight 8 votes
E Wheaton received in the fourth precinct forty-one 41 votes
Wheaton received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote
Enoch Wheaton received in the sixth precinct thirty seven 37 votes
Albert Messenger received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote
Total number of scattering votes for Aldermen ninety-one 91 vote

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

Martin Hanley received in first precinct one hundred and twenty-eight 128 votes
Martin Hanley received in second precinct two hundred and four 204 votes
Martin Hanley received in third precinct one hundred and fifty-six 156 votes
artin Hanley received in fourth precinct sixty 60 votes
Martin Hanley received in fifth precinct sixty-eight 68 votes
Martin Hanley received in sixth precinct one hundred and thirty one 131 votes
Total number of votes received by Martin Hanley seven hundred and forty-seven 747
Emile Steger received in first precinct one hundred and forty-four 144 votes
Emile Steger received in the second precinct one hundred and seventy eight 178 votes
Emile Steger received in the third precinct one hundred and seventy two 172 votes
Emile Steger received in fourth precinct forty-six 46 votes
Emile Steger received in fifth precinct forty-five 45 votes
Emile Steger received in sixth precinct one hundred and forty-nine 149 votes
Total number of votes received by Emile Steger seven hundred and thirty-four 734 votes
James Coyle received in first precinct one hundred and thirty-six 136 votes
James Coyle received in second precinct one hundred and seventy-two 172 votes
James Coyle received in third precinct one hundred and fifty three 153 votes
James Coyle received in fourth precinct forty-five 45 votes
James Coyle received in fifth precinct forty six 46 votes
James Coyle received in sixth precinct one hundred and four 104 votes
Total number of votes received by James Coyle six hundred and fifty-six 656
Jacob Newkirk received in first precinct one hundred and twenty one 121 votes
Jacob Newkirk received in second precinct ninety-five 95 votes
Jacob Newkirk received in third precinct one hundred and five 105 votes
Jacob Newkirk received in fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-nine 139 votes
Jacob Newkirk received in fifth precinct sixty 60 votes
Jacob Newkirk received in sixth precinct eighty-nine 89 votes
Total number of votes received by Jacob Newkirk six hundred and nine 609
William Atcheson received in first precinct one hundred and thirty 130 votes
William Atcheson received in second precinct one hundred and ten 110 votes
William Atcheson received in third precinct one hundred 100 votes
William Atcheson received in fourth precinct one hundred and forty four 144 votes
William Atcheson received in fifth precinct sixty-one 61 votes
William Atcheson received in sixth precinct seventy-five 75 votes
Total number of votes received by William Atcheson six hundred and twenty 620
Hermann Brunns received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes
Hermann Brunns received in the second precinct one hundred and nine 109 votes
Hermann Brunns received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty 120 votes
Hermann Brunns received in the fourth precinct one hundred and seven 107 votes
Hermann Brunns received in the fifth precinct sixty-one 61 votes
Hermann Brunns received in the sixth precinct sixty one 61 votes
Total number of votes received by Herman Brunns five hundred and eighty one 581
Charles Vollers received in the first precinct five 5 votes
Charles Vollers received in the second precinct fifty four 54 votes
Charles Vollers received in the third precinct thirty two 32 votes
Charles Vollers received in the fourth precinct twenty 20 votes
Charles Vollers received in the fifth precinct twenty seven 27 votes
Charles Vollers received in the sixth precinct fifty 50 votes
Total number of votes received by Charles Vollers one hundred and eighty eight 188
J. Klinge received in the first precinct two 2 votes
C. Vollers received in the first precinct one 1 vote
James R. Dey received in the first precinct one 1 vote
Emile Steiger received in the second precinct thirty one 31 votes
James H. Coyle received in the second precinct one 1 vote
Emile Steiger received in the third precinct twenty nine 29 votes
John B. Elgar received in the third precinct seven 7 votes
John Jamison received in the third precinct two 2 votes
P. H. Bechman received in the third precinct five 5 votes
P. H. Bechman received in the fourth precinct twenty-nine 29 votes
John R. Elger received in the fourth precinct thirty-nine 39 votes
John Jamison received in the fourth precinct three 3 votes
John Haley received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote
Emile Steiger received in the fourth precinct twenty-three 23 votes
James Coile received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote
Emile Steiger received in the fifth precinct twenty-six 26 votes
P. H. Bechman received in the sixth precinct twenty-nine 29 votes
John R. Elger received in the sixth precinct thirty-one 31 votes
John Jamison received in the sixth precinct three 3 votes
J. Haley received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote
Total number of scattering votes for Chosen Freeholder two hundred and sixty five 265

FOR MEMBERS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

James Dowd received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-two 142 votes.
James Dowd received in the second precinct two hundred and eleven 211 votes.
James Dowd received in the third precinct one hundred and eighty-one 181 votes.
James Dowd received in the fourth precinct sixty five 65 votes.
James Dowd received in the fifth precinct seventy-one 71 votes.
James Dowd received in the sixth precinct one hundred and sixty-five 165 votes.
Total number of votes received by James Dowd eight hundred and thirty-five 835.
Thomas M. Norton received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-five 155 votes.
Thomas M. Norton received in the second precinct two hundred and twelve 212 votes.
Thomas M. Norton received in the third precinct one hundred and eighty 180 votes.
Thomas M. Norton received in the fourth precinct sixty-six 66 votes.
Thomas M. Norton received in the fifth precinct seventy 70 votes.
Thomas M. Norton received in the sixth precinct one hundred and sixty-one 161 votes.
Total number of votes received by Thomas M. Norton eight hundred and forty-four 844.
Mortimer Smith received in the first precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
Mortimer Smith received in the second precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
Mortimer Smith received in the third precinct one hundred 100 votes.
Mortimer Smith received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-six 126 votes.

Mortimer Smith received in the fifth precinct sixty 60 votes.
Mortimer Smith received in the sixth precinct forty 40 votes.
Total number of votes received by Mortimer Smith five hundred and fifty-four 554.
John Bauer received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes.
John Bauer received in the second precinct one hundred and ten 110 votes.
John Bauer received in the third precinct one hundred and fifteen 115 votes.
John Bauer received in the fourth precinct one hundred and eleven 111 votes.
John Bauer received in the fifth precinct fifty-eight 58 votes.
John Bauer received in the sixth precinct forty-eight 48 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Bauer five hundred and sixty-five 565.
F. C. Freund received in the first precinct two 2 votes.
John H. Vanderzee received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
John H. Van Derzee received in the third precinct ten 10 votes.
William Grouart received in the third precinct seven 7 votes.
James Bauer received in the third precinct two 2 votes.
William Gauert received in the third precinct two 2 votes.
Fred. C. Freund received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
John H. Van Derzee received in the fourth precinct forty-nine 49 votes.
William Grouart received in the fourth precinct twenty-eight 28 votes.
Frederick C. Freund received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
John H. Van Derzee received in the fifth precinct two 2 votes.
John H. Van Derzee received in the sixth precinct forty-one 41 votes.
John H. Scott received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
William Grouart received in the sixth precinct thirty-three 33 votes.
Total number of scattering vote for Member of Board of Education one hundred and eighty 180.

FOR CONSTABLES.

Robert F. Laird received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes.
Robert F. Laird received in the second precinct one hundred and eleven 111 votes.
Robert F. Laird received in the third precinct one hundred 100 votes.
Robert F. Laird received in the fourth precinct one hundred and eight 108 votes.
Robert F. Laird received in the fifth precinct sixty-six 66 votes.
Robert F. Laird received in the sixth precinct forty-two 42 votes.
Total number of votes received by Robert F. Laird five hundred and fifty 550.
John H. Niebuhr received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-five 145 votes.
John H. Niebuhr received in the second precinct one hundred and seventy-seven 177 votes.
John H. Niebuhr received in the third precinct one hundred and sixty-six 166 votes.
John H. Niebuhr received in the fourth precinct seventy-four 74 votes.
John H. Niebuhr received in the fifth precinct sixty-seven 67 votes.
John H. Niebuhr received in the sixth precinct one hundred and sixty-one 161 votes.
Total number of votes received by John H. Niebuhr seven hundred and ninety 790.
Thomas McNeill received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-one 141 votes.
Thomas McNeill received in the second precinct two hundred and seven 207 votes.
Thomas McNeill received in the third precinct one hundred and eighty-six 186 votes.
Thomas McNeill received in the fourth precinct seventy-two 72 votes.
Thomas McNeill received in the fifth precinct sixty-seven 67 votes.
Thomas McNeill received in the sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-two 152 votes.
Total number of votes received by Thomas McNeill eight hundred and twenty-five 825.
Francis Hall received in the first precinct one hundred and eighteen 118 votes.
Francis Hall received in the second precinct one hundred and six 106 votes.
Francis Hall received in the third precinct one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Francis Hall received in the fourth precinct one hundred and nine 109 votes.
Francis Hall received in the fifth precinct fifty-eight 58 votes.
Francis Hall received in the sixth precinct seventy-eight 78 votes
Total number of votes received by Francis Hall five hundred and seventy-six 576.
Dwight B. King received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty three 123 votes.
Dwight B. King received in the second precinct one hundred and eleven 111 votes.
Dwight B. King received in the third precinct ninety-nine 99 votes.
Dwight B. King received in the fourth precinct one hundred and six 106 votes
Dwight B. King received in the fifth precinct fifty-seven 57 votes
Dwight B. King received in the sixth precinct thirty-eight 38 votes.
Total number of votes received by Dwight B. King five hundred and thirty-four 534.
Martin Keegan received in the first precinct one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
Martin Keegan received in the second precinct sixty-nine 69 votes.
Martin Keegan received in the third precinct fifty-three 53 votes.
Martin Keegan received in the fourth precinct thirty 30 votes.
Martin Keegan received in the fifth precinct twenty-seven 27 votes.
Martin Keegan received in the sixth precinct fifty-seven 57 votes.
Total number of votes received by Martin Keegan three hundred and fifty-three 353
Martin Keaden received in the first precinct fourteen 14 votes.
Henry H. Klein received in the first precinct three 3 votes.
John Keegan received in the first precinct twelve 12 votes.
John H. Neibuhr received in the second precinct thirty-one 31 votes.
Martin Keaden received in the second precinct one hundred and thirty-one 131 votes.
John Keegan received in the second precinct eleven 11 votes.
John Keegan received in the fourth precinct thirty, 30 votes.
John Neibuhr received in the third precinct thirty-five 35 votes.
Martin Keaden received in the third precinct one hundred and thirty-six 136 votes.
Henry Earl received in the third precinct seven 7 votes.
Henry Fink received in the third precinct seven 7 votes.
Henry Earl received in the fourth precinct forty-one 41 votes.
F Hall received in the fourth precinct thirty-eight 38 votes.
Henry Zincke received in the fourth precinct thirty-eight 38 votes.
Martin Keaden received in the fourth precinct eleven 11 votes.
John Keegan received in the fifth precinct twenty-six 26 votes.
John Neibuhr received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
Martin Keaden received in the fifth precinct eighteen 18 votes.
Henry Earl received in the fifth precinct two 2 votes.
F. Hall received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
Henry Zincke received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
John Keegan received in the sixth precinct one hundred and ten 110 votes,
Timothy Lynch received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote.
Michael Foley received in the sixth precinct one 1 vote

Henry Zincke received in the sixth precinct thirty-eight 38 votes.
Henry Earl received in the sixth precinct thirty-seven 37 votes.
Total number of scattering voter for constable seven hundred and eighty-one 781.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

John R. Arrison received in the first precinct one hundred and sixteen 116 votes.
William Hirschberg received in the first precinct one hundred and nineteen 119 votes.
Rudolph Puhlman received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-four 144 votes.
William Ording received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-three 153 votes.
Andrew O'Neill received in the first precinct one 1 vote.
Rudolph Puhlman received in the second precinct two hundred and eleven 211 votes.
William Ording received in the second precinct one hundred and ninety-two 192 votes.
John R. Arrison received in the second precinct one hundred and six 106 votes.
William Hirschberg received in the second precinct one hundred and fifteen 115 votes.
W. Hirschberg received in the second precinct fourteen 14 votes.
M. Loder received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
Rudolph Puhlman received in the third precinct one hundred and eighty-five 185 votes.
William Ording received in the third precinct one hundred and eighty-nine 189 votes.
John R. Arrison received in the third precinct ninety-nine 99 votes.
Wm. Hirschberg received the in third precinct one hundred and two 102 votes.
Matthew Tilfer received in the third precinct seven 7 votes.
John Pforr received in the third precinct seven 7 votes.
Matthew Tilfer received in the fourth precinct thirty-six 36 votes.
Wm. H. Weldon received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
John Pforr received in the fourth precinct thirty-five 35 votes.
John R. Arrison received in the fourth precinct one hundred and three 103 votes.
William Hirschberg received in the fourth precinct ninety-five 95 votes.
Rudolph Puhlman received in the fourth precinct sixty-nine 69 votes.
William Ording received in the fourth precinct sixty-four 64 votes.
Mitchell Loder received in the fourth precinct forty 40 votes.
Martin Hanley received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
John R. Arrison received in the fifth precinct sixty 60 votes.
William Hirschberg received in the fifth precinct sixty 60 votes.
Rudolph Puhlman received in the fifth precinct sixty-five 65 votes.
William Ording received in the fifth precinct sixty-six 66 votes.
Henry Puhlman received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
Rudolph Puhlman received in the sixth precinct one hundred and sixty-one 161 votes.
William Ording received in the sixth precinct one hundred and sixty-six 166 votes.
John R. Arrison received in the sixth precinct thirty-nine 39 votes.
William Hirschberg received in the sixth precinct thirty-eight 38 votes.
Matthew Tilfer received in the sixth precinct thirty-eight 38 votes.
John Pforr received in the sixth precinct thirty-seven 37 votes.
George Glaubrecht received in the sixth precinct three 3 votes.

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMEN.

Jasper Wandle received in the first precinct eighty 80 votes.
Jasper Wandle received in the second precinct eighty four 84 votes.
Jasper Wandle received in the third precinct one hundred and seventy-three 173 votes
Jasper Wandle received in the fourth precinct one hundred and nineteen 119 votes.
Jasper Wandle received in the fifth precinct ninety-nine 99 votes.
Total number of votes received by Jasper Wandle five hundred and fifty-five 555.
Edward F. C. Young received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-three 143 votes.
Edward F. C. Young received in the second precinct ninety-seven 97 votes.
Edward F. C. Young received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-nine 129 votes.
Edward F. C. Young received in the fourth precinct one hundred and fifty-two 152 votes.
Edward F. C. Young received in the fifth precinct eighty 80 votes.
Total number of votes received by Edward F. C. Young six hundred and one 601.
David L. Holden received in the first precinct seventy-four 74 votes.
David L. Holden received in the second precinct seventy 70 votes.
David L. Holden received in the third precinct one hundred and fifty-three 153 votes.
David L. Holden received in the fourth precinct one hundred and forty-four 144 votes.
David L Holden received in the fifth precinct ninety-nine 99 votes.
Total number of votes received by David L. Holden five hundred and forty 540.
John Van Horn received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-nine 139 votes.
John Van Horn received in the second precinct ninety-eight 98 votes.
John Van Horn received in the third precinct ninety-six 96 votes.
John Von Horn received in the fourth precinct one hundred and eighteen 118 votes.
John Van Horn received in the fifth precinct forty-nine 49 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Van Horn five hundred 500.

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

John Brinkerhoff received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty 150 votes.
John Brinkerhoff received in the second precinct ninety-six 96 votes.
John Brinkerhoff received in the third precinct one hundred and fifteen 115 votes.
John Brinkerhoff received in the fourth pricinct one hundred and seventy-nine 179 votes.
John Brinkerhoff received in the fifth precinct sixty-three 63 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Brinkerhoff six hundred and three 603.
George A. Toffey received in first precinct ninety-nine 99 votes.
George A. Toffey received in second precinct one hundred and two 102 votes.
George A. Toffey received in third precinct one hundred and sixty-seven 167 votes.
George A. Teffey received in fourth precinct one hundred and twelve 112 votes.
George A. Toffey received in the fifth precinct ninety-five, 95 votes
Total number of votes received by George A. Toffey five hundred and seventy-five 575.
Jacob J. Newkirk received in first precinct seventy-four 74 votes.
Jacob J. Newkirk received in second precinct ninety seven 97 votes.
Jacob J. Newkirk received in third precinct one hundred and seventy-nine 179 votes.
Jacob J. Newkirk received in fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-nine 139 votes.
Jacob J. Newkirk received in fifth precinct one hundred and four 104 votes.
Total number of votes received by Jacob J. Newkirk five hundred and ninety-three 593 votes.
John N. Rapp received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-two 142 votes.
John N. Rapp received in the second precinct eighty-four 84 votes.
John N. Rapp received in the third precinct one hundred and six 106 votes.
John N. Rapp received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-two 122 votes.
John N. Rapp received in the fifth precinct seventy-nine 79 votes
Total number of votes received by John

N. Rapp five hundred and thirty-three 533.
Charles E. Newham received in the first precinct one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
Charles E. Newham received in the second precinct seventy-three 73 votes.
Charles E. Newham received in the third precinct ninety-eight 98 votes.
Charles E. Newham received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty 120 votes
Charles E. Newham received in the fifth precinct forty-eight 48 votes.
Total number of votes received by Charles E Newham three hundred and eighty-six 386.
Amadee Spadone received in the first precinct sixty-six 66 votes.
Amadee Spadone received in the second precinct seventy 70 votes.
Amadee Spadone received in third precinct one hundred and sixty-eight 168 votes.
Amadee Spadone received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-three 123 votes.
Amadee Spadone received in the fifth precinct one hundred and four 104 votes
Total number of votes received by Amadee Spadone five hundred and thirty one 531.

FOR MEMBERS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

William H. Thomas received in the first precinct sixty-six 66 votes.
William H. Thomas received in the second precinct forty-four 44 votes.
William H. Thomas received in the third precinct one hundred and seventy-one 171 votes.
William H. Thomas received in the fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-nine 139 votes.
William H. Thomas received in the fifth precinct one hundred and nine 109 votes.
Total number of votes received by William H. Thomas five hundred and twenty-nine 529 votes.
Henry A. Thomas received in the first precinct seventy-three 73 votes.
Henry A. Thomas received in the second precinct ninety-three 93 votes.
Henry A Thomas received in the third precinct one hundred and sixty-three 163 votes.
Henry A. Thomas received in the fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-one 131 votes.
Henry A. Thomas received in the fifth precinct one hundred and five 105 votes.
Total number of votes received by Henry A. Thomas five hundred and sixty-five 565.
James Soper received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-four 134 votes.
James Soper received in the second precinct eighty 80 votes.
James Soper received in the third precinct ninety-eight 98 votes.
James Soper received in the fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-three 133 votes.
James Soper received in the fifth precinct fifty-five 55 votes.
Total number of votes received by James Soper five hundred 500
J. Smith Miller received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty-four 164 votes.
J. Smith Miller received in the second precinct one hundred and thirty-one 131 votes.
J. Smith Miller received in the third precinct one hundred and twelve 112 votes.
J. Smith Miller received in the fourth precinct one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
J. Smith Miller received in the fifth precinct fifty-eight 58 votes,
Total number of votes received by J. Smith Miller five hundred and eighty-two 582
Cornelius C. Van Reypen received in the third precinct one 1 vote.

FOR CONSTABLES.

Henry H. Kline received in the first precinct ninety-nine 99 votes.
Henry H. Kline received in the second precinct one hundred and three 103 votes.
Henry H. Kline received in the third precinct one hundred and seventy-two 172 votes,
Henry H. Kline received in the fourth precinct one hundred and forty-four 144 votes
Henry H. Kline received in the fifth precinct one hundred and thirteen 113 votes.
Total number of votes received by Henry H. Kline six hundred and thirty-one 631
John A. White received in the first precinct seventy-three 73 votes.
John A White received in the second precinct eighty-eight 88 votes.
John A. White received in the third precinct one hundred and seventy-three 173 votes.
John A. White received in the fourth precinct one hundred and forty-six 146 votes.
John A. White received in the fifth precinct one hundred and fourteen 114 votes.
Total number of votes received by John A. White five hundred and ninety-four 594.
Edward Benson received in the first precinct seventy-four 74 votes.
Edward Benson received in the second precinct eighty-six 86 votes.
Edward Benson received in the third precinct one hundred and seventy 170 votes.
Edward Benson received in the fourth precinct one hundred and seventy-two 172 votes.
Edward Benson received in the fifth precinct one hundred and eleven 111 votes.
Total number of votes received by Edward Benson six hundred and thirteen 613.
George Hamilton received in first precinct one hundred and twenty-seven 127 votes.
George Hamilton received in the second precinct seventy-seven 77 votes.
George Hamilton received in the third precinct one hundred and three 103 votes.
George Hamilton received in the fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-nine 129 votes,
George Hamilton received in the fifth precinct fifty-two 52 votes.
Total number of votes received by George Hamilton four hundred and eighty-eight 488
John F. Banfield received in the first precinct one hundred and eighteen 118 votes.
John F. Banfield received in the second precinct seventy-five 75 votes.
John F. Banfield received in the third precinct one hundred and six 106 votes.
John F. Banfield received in the fourth precinct one hundred and nine 109 votes.
John F. Banfield received in the fifth precinct fifty-four 54 votes.
Total number of votes received by John F. Banfield four hundred and sixty-two 462 votes.
William B. Simon received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-two 132 votes.
William B. Simon received in the second precinct sixty-six 66 votes.
William B Simon received in the third precinct one hundred and one 101 votes.
William B Simon received in the fourth precinct ninety-eigat 98 votes.
William B. Simon received in the fifth precinct forty-eight 48 votes.
Total number of votes received by William B. Simon four hundred and forty-five 445
John O'Sullivan received in the first precinct eighteen 18 votes.
Dwight B King received in the second precinct three 3 votes.
John O Sullivan received in the second precinct six 6 votes.
John Sullivan received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
William H. Thomas received in the second precinct one 1 vote
Boo Hamilton received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
Henry A Klein received in the second precinct two 2 votes.
Henry Kline received in the second precinct five 5 votes.
John O'Sullivan received in the fourth precinct one 1 vote.
John O'Sullivan received in the fifth precinct one 1 vote.
Total number of scattering votes for constable thirty-nine 39

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

First Precinct.

Adolphus W. Martin received one hundred and ninety-eight 198 votes.
Thomas Aldridge received one hundred and forty 140 votes.
Martin Logan received one hundred and twenty six 126 votes.
Thomas D. Mills received fifty-seven 57 votes.
Christopher Whinyates received fifty eight 58 votes.
Thomas W. Maires received twenty-five 25 votes
Henry H. Klien received one 1 v

ote

John Van Horn received one 1 vote.
Thomas W. Maires received in place of Ezra B. King, deceased, eight 8 votes.

Second Precinct.

Adolphus W. Martin received one hundred and fifty four 154 votes.
Thomas Aldridge received eighty-three 83 votes.
Martin Logan received sixty-nine 69 votes.
Thomas D. Mills received seventy nine 79 votes.
C. Whinyates received sixty-nine 69 votes.
Thomas W. Maires received twenty-five 25 votes.
Thomas W. Maires to fill vacancy caused by the death of Ezra B. King received two 2 votes.

Third Precinct

Adolphus W. Martin received two hundred and seventy-one 271 votes.
Thomas D. Mills received one hundred and seventy-two 172 votes.
C. Whinyates received one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
Thomas Aldridge received one hundred and eighteen 118 votes.
Martin Logan received ninety 90 votes.

Fourth Precinct.

Thomas W. Maires received one 1 vote.
Adolphus W. Martin received two hundred and sixty-one 261 votes.
Thomas Aldridge received one hundred and twenty two 122 votes.
Martin Logan received one hundred and seventeen 117 votes.
Thomas D. Mills received one hundred and thirty-nine 139 votes.
C. Whinyates received one hundred and thirty-two 132 votes.
Thomas W. Maires to fill vacancy of Ezra B. King, deceased, received two 2 votes.

Fifth Precinct.

Adolph W. Martin received one hundred and sixty-one 161 votes.
Thomas D. Mills received one hundred and seven 107 votes.
C. Whinyates received ninety seven 97 votes.
Thomas Aldridge received sixty-seven 67 votes.
Martin Logan received thirty-eight 38 votes.
Thos W. Maires received three 3 votes.
Thos. Myers received one 1 vote.

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMEN.

Simeon H. Smith received in the first precinct one hundred and eighty-three 183 votes.
Simeon H. Smith received in the second precinct two hundred and forty-four 244 votes.
Simeon H. Smith received in the third precinct one hundred and ninety-seven 197 votes.
Total number of votes received by Simeon H. Smith six hundred and twenty four 624 votes.
Henry V. Mandeville received in the first precinct one hundred and seventy one 171 votes.
Henry V. Mandeville received in the second precinct one hundred and eighty-four 184 votes.
Henry V. Mandeville received in the third precinct one hundred and eighty-four 184 votes.
Total number of votes received by Henry V. Mandeville five hundred and thirty nine 539.
John H. Cable received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty-two 162 votes.
John H. Cable received in the second precinct one hundred and seventy-six 176 votes.
John H. Cable received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-five 125 votes.
Total number of votes received by John H. Cable four hundred and sixty-three 463
Charles G. Grote received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-nine 159 votes.
Charles G. Grote received in the second precinct one hundred and seven 107 votes.
Charles G. Grote received in the third precinct one hundred and thirty six 136 votes.
Total number of votes received by Charles G. Grote four hundred and two 402
John Van Horn, Jr., received in second precinct one 1 vote.
Chas. P. Grote received in third precinct one 1 vote.
Chas. Grote received in third precinct one 1 vote.
G. G. Grote received in third precinct one 1 vote.
Henry Mandeville received in third precinct 1 vote.
John Cable received in third precinct one 1 vote.
J. H. Cable received in third precinct seven 7 votes.
J. Cable received in third precinct one 1 vote.
Simeon Smith received in third precinct two 2 votes.
Sim Smith received in third precinct one 1 vote.
S. H. Smith received in third precinct two 2 votes.
Richard Baile received in third precinct three 3 votes.
Total number of scattering votes for Aldermen twenty-two 22 votes.

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

James H. Startup received in the first precinct one hundred and ninety-four 194 votes.
James H. Startup received in second precinct one hundred and ninety-nine 199 votes.
James H. Startup received in third precinct two hundred and twelve 212 votes.
Total number of votes received by James H. Startup six hundred and five 605.
Thorn P. Sherwood received in the first precinct one hundred and seventy-nine 179 votes.
Thorn P. Sherwood received in the second precinct two hundred and forty nine 249 votes.
Thorn P. Sherwood received in third precinct two hundred and twelve 212 votes.
Total number of votes received by Thorn P. Sherwood six hundred and forty 640.
Garret Vreeland, Sr., received in the first precinct one hundred and seventy-four 174 votes.
Garret Vreeland, Sr., received in the second precinct one hundred and eighty-nine 189 votes.
Garret Vreeland, Sr., received in the third precinct one hundred and eighty 180 votes.
Total number of votes received by Garret Vreeland, Sr., five hundred and forty-three 543.
John A. Bouker received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty 150 votes.
John A. Bouker received in the second precinct one hundred and twenty-seven 127 votes.
John A. Bouker received in the third precinct one hundred and nineteen 119 votes.
Total number of votes received by John A. Bouker three hundred and ninety-six 396.
John Geraghty received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-six 146 votes.
John Geraghty received in the second precinct one hundred and forty-nine 149 votes.
John Geraghty received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Geraghty four hundred and sixteen 416.
John A. Cottingham received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-seven 157 votes.
John A. Cottingham received in the second precinct one hundred and fifty-one 151 votes.
John A. Cottingham received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-nine 129 votes.
Total number of votes received by John A. Cottingham four hundred and thirty-seven 437.
J. B. G. received in second precinct one 1 vote.
Cottingham received in the third precinct six 6 votes.
Charles G. Grote received in the third precinct two 2 votes.
Garret Vreeland received in the third precinct seventeen 17 votes.
Garret Vreeland, Jr., received in the third precinct one 1 vote.
Total number of scattering votes for Chosen Freeholder 27.

FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION.

George Miller received in the first precinct one hundred and eighty-six 186 votes.
George Miller received in the second precinct one hundred and eighty-eight 188 votes.
George Miller received in the third precinct two hundred and ten 210 votes.
Total number of votes received by George Miller five hundred and eighty-four 584.
George R. Hillier received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty-six 166 votes.
George R. Hillier received in the second precinct two hundred and eight 208 votes.
George R. Hillier received in the third precinct two hundred and ten 210 votes.
Total number of votes received by George R. Hillier five hundred and eighty-four 584.

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Abram S. Jewell received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty-one 161 votes.
Abram S. Jewell received in the second precinct one hundred and fifty-three 153 votes.
Abram S. Jewell received in the third precinct one hundred and thirty 130 votes.
Total number of votes received by Abram S. Jewell four hundred and forty-four 444.
William C. Bockus received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-two 152 votes.
William C. Bockus received in the second precinct one hundred and sixty-one 161 votes.
William C. Bockus received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty 120 votes.
Total number of votes received by William C. Bockus four hundred and thirty-three 433.
Hiram M. Sanborn received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
J. W. Soper received in the second precinct one 1 vote.
William C. Backus received in the third precint one 1 vote.
Total number of scattering votes for member of Board of Education ten 10 votes.

FOR CONSTABLES.

George J. Langworthy received in the first precinct one hundred and seventy-five 175 votes.
George J. Langworthy received in the second precinct one hundred and ninety-seven 197 votes.
George J. Langworthy received in the third precinct two hundred and eleven 211 votes.
Total number of votes received by George J. Langworthy five hundred and eighty-three 583.
Francis Henry Saving, Jr., received in the first precinct one hundred and seventy 170 votes.
Francis Henry Saving, Jr., received in the second precinct two hundred and ten 210 votes.
Francis Henry Saving, Jr., received in the third precinct two hundred and ten 210 votes.
Total number of votes received by Francis Henry Saving, Jr., five hundred and ninety 590.
Frederick Vogt received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty-eight 168 votes.
Frederick Vogt received in the second precinct one hundred and ninety-two 192 votes.
Frederick Vogt received in the third precinct two hundred and eight 208 votes.
Total number of votes received by Frederick Vogt five hundred and sixty-eight 568.
John Fox received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty 160 votes.
John Fox received in the second precinct one hundred and fifty-eight 158 votes.
John Fox received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-two 122 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Fox four hundred and forty 440.
John Bayer received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-five 155 votes.
John Bayer received in the second precinct one hundred and fifty-two 152 votes.
John Bayer received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-two 122 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Bayer four hundred and twenty-nine 429.
John Fallen received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-six 156 votes.
John Fallen received in the second precinct one hundred and fifty-six 156 votes.
John Fallen received in the third precinct one hundred and twenty-one 121 votes.
Total number of votes received by John Fallen four hundred and thirty-three 433.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

First Precinct.

William Burch received one hundred and seventy-four 174 votes.
Ephriam W. Buck received one hundred and seventy 170 votes.
Frederick Boorman received one hundred and sixty-nine 169 votes.
William Burns received one hundred and sixty-one 161 votes.
Charles Humphreys received one hundred and fifty-nine 159 votes.
Edward C. Hutchinson received one hundred and fifty-nine 159 votes

Second Precinct.

Wm. Burch received one hundred and ninety-seven 197 votes.
Ephriam W. Buck received one hundred and sixty-eight 168 votes.
Frederick Boorman received one hundred and ninety-seven 197 votes.
Wm. Burns received one hundred and fifty-nine 159 votes.
Charles C. Humphreys received one hundred and seventy-nine 179 votes.
Edward C. Hutchinson received one hundred and sixty-three 163 votes.

Third Precinct

William Burch received two hundred and eleven 211 votes.
Ephriam W. Buck received two hundred and seven. 207 votes.
Frederick Boorman received two hundred and eleven 211 votes.
Wm. Burns received one hundred and twenty-six 126 votes.
Charles Humphreys received one hundred and twenty-two 122 votes.
Edward C. Hutchinson received one hundred and twenty-nine 129 votes.
Charles C. Humphreys received six 6 votes.

We do certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct statement of the election above mentioned, as the same is produced and laid before the Board of City Canvassers, according to law, and that the same exhibits the number of votes, on the poll books of the precincts, in the Aldermanic Districts respectively, and of the ballots rejected, the whole number of the names of the votes in the poll books of the several precincts, the name of each person for whom any vote or votes were given, the number of votes given for each person in each precinct, and the whole number of votes given for each person for each office designated for him, as they appear by the statements so produced, and laid before the Board.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this day of April, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

MATTHEW ERWIN,
Chairman of Board of City Canvassers.
JOHN E. SCOTT,
Clerk of Board of City Canvassers.

A STATEMENT

Of the determination of the Board of City Canvassers relative to an Election in Jersey City, in the County of Hudson, and State of New Jersey, on Tuesday, the ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy two, pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, passed March 31, 1871, entitled "An Act to re-organize the local government of Jersey City," for the election of a Mayor for said City and of two Aldermen from each Aldermanic District, and for other officers:

Mayor—
Charles H. O'Neill.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Aldermen—
Robert Bumsted,
Benjamin F. Champney.
Chosen Freeholders—
Jabez R. Parsons,
William A. Davis,
John H. Garretson.
Members of the Board of Education—
Horatio N. Ege,
William P. Douglass.
Constables—
Richard Onslow,
John Richardson,
Elwell P. Hutton.

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Aldermen—
James Meehan,
John McLaughlin.
Chosen Freeholders—
James Harper,
Daniel H. Hartigan,
Thomas J. Hannan.
Members of the Board of Education—
Patrick H. Laverty,
Edward L. Murphy.
Constables—
John O'Keeffe,

John Dolan,
John Holmes.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Aldermen—
Marmaduke Tilden,
Charles Stier.

Chosen Freeholders—
John E. Cronham,
Harvey M. Soule,
William R. Clayton.

Members of the Board of Education—
Thomas Potter,
John W. Pangborn.

Constables—
Henry F. Crawford,
Daniel F. Shea.
William D. Schopp.

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Aldermen—
John B. Ginnochio,
Arend Steenken.

Chosen Freeholders—
Martin Hanley,
Emile Steger,
James Coyle.

Members of the Board of Education—
James Dowd.
Thomas M. Norton.

Constables—
John H. Niebuhr,
Thomas McNeil,
Francis Hall.

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Aldermen—
Jasper Wandle,
Edward F. C. Young.

Chosen Freeholders—
John Brinkerhoff,
George A. Toffey,
Jacob J. Newkirk.

Members of the Board of Education—
J. Smith Miller,
Henry A. Thomas.

Constables—
Henry H. Kline,
Edward Benson,
John A. White.

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Aldermen—
Henry V. Mandeville,
Simeon H. Smith.

Chosen Freeholders—
James H. Startup,
Thorne P. Sherwood,
Garret Vreeland, Sr.

Members of the Board of Education—
George Miller,
George R. Hillier.

Constables—
George J. Langworthy,
Francis Henry Saving, Jr.,
Frederick Vogt.

We do certify that the foregoing is a true, full, and correct statement of the Board of City Canvassers therein mentioned.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this day of April, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-two.

MATTHEW ERWIN,
Chairman of the Board of City Canvassers.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
Clerk of the Board of City Canvassers.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, April 16, 1872 at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Mandeville, Reardon, Smith, Stier, and Wandle.

Absent—Aldermen Holden, Savage and Steenken.

The minutes of the regular meetings of March 29, 1872, and of the 2d and 9th insts., were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Petitions were presented, received, and disposed of as follows;

FOR RESTAURANT LICENSES.

First District—Duhey & Sullivan, 107 Newark avenue.

Second District—John F. Lynch, 10 Prospect street; Edward Kaley, corner Hudson avenue and White street; John Stapleton, 120 Twelfth street; John Golden, 272 Eleventh street.

Fourth District—Richard Flynn, corner South street and Summit avenue.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petitions of James Burns and D. O'Mara, for licenses to peddle meat, fish, etc.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petition of Charles Lyons, for transfer of his junk license to Patrick Devine, No. 3 Provost street, Second District. Granted, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Petition of David Farrington, for a transfer of his license to keep a restaurant at No. 430 Palisade avenue, Fourth District, to George W. Moore.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of Daniel Thorpe, for transfer of his restaurant license, No. 114 North First street, Second District, to Patrick Scanlon. Granted, on motion of Alderman Reardon.

Petition of James Cummings, for permission to construct a vault under sidewalk in front of his premises on Newark avenue.

Referred to committee on streets.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees, on payment of claims heretofore referred, viz:

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Herman Bruns, for $123 85, for groceries for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Herman Bruns, for $123 25, for groceries for out-door poor.

By committee on printing:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, for $66 30, for printing and advertising.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication from Wm. Startup and A. W. Fry, on behalf of the committee on streets and sewers of the Board of Public Works, requesting such action in reference to the relaying of the horse car railroad tracks in Hoboken avenue, from Five Corners to the Hoboken City line, and in North First street, from Monmouth street to Erie street, as will require the companies to lay down the flat rail instead of the "T" rail as at present laid; the said streets and avenues being under improvement; accompanied by a diagram showing the conformation of the two tracks, was presented, received, and referred to committee on railroads.

The city clerk presented a report of the filing in his office, on the 10th inst., of the resignation of George Warrin as a member of the Board of Education.

The report was received and ordered filed.

The city clerk presented a report of the approval by his Honor the Mayor, on the 1st instant, of the ordinance passed March 29, 1872, for relief of Henry Hanks in construction of bow windows, etc.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on liquor licenses presented the following resolution on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the fourth district:

Martin Haley, Central avenue, between Hutton and Franklin streets.

Patrick Bonnar, West Newark avenue, near Tonnelle avenue.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred March 29, 1872, the petition of William Mailly for permission to erect sign-board, &c., presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted during the pleasure of this Board, to William Mailly to place a sign-board across sidewalk at 116 Montgomery street, providing the same does not interfere with public travel.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred March 29, 1872, the petition of John S. Edwards, for permission to pave in front of stable, &c., presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted by this board to John S. Edwards, to take up flag and to pave on Sherman and Webster avenues, so that he may drive in and out from his stable.

The report was received and the resolution was adopted.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions and applications, heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Peter Brant and John Stierle, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Patrick F. Lee, on his paying the license fee.

The report was received and the resolutions adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

A claim of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, for $1,390 19, for printing official reports, etc., was presented and referred to the committee on printing.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the Board took a recess for ten minutes, for the purpose of auditing claims.

On the reassembling of the Board the following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting.

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Buerk & Marquart for $68 40, for meat for out-door poor from March 1 to March 28, 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of T. B. Smith, for $359 38, for supplies for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Mrs. F. Terry, for $329 44, for bread for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of T. B. Smith for $9 38, for coal for outdoor poor.

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of C. W. Corduan for $3 60, for repairing locks and keys.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of C. W. Corduan for $1 15, for padlock and keys.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Wm. W. Farrier for $36 75, for gas fixtures in city clerk's office.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Theo. Rosenberg for $9 84 for cord and frames for collector's and city clerk's offices.

By committee on streets:

Resolved; That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Walter C. Meeker for $170 50, for balance due for putting up signs for street names, labor and materials.

The resolutions were received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Reardon and adopted

Resolved, that the Board of Public Works be requested to cause a bridge stone crossing to be laid across Meadow street on the north side of Pavonia avenue.

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to cause North First street, from Provost to Prospect street, to be repaved, said street being now in an impassable condition.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, April 23, 1872, at 7:30 o clock. P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Reardon, Savage Smith, Steenken, and Wandle.

Absent—Aldermen Golden, Mandeville, and Stier.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 16th inst., were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Bumsted.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation to attend second anniversary of Farnsworth Lodge. No. 143, I. O. O. F., Tuesday evening, April 30, 1862, at Avenue House, Newark avenue, Jersey City Heights

Accepted, on motion of Alderman Smith.

Application of James Cavanagh for a license to keep a restaurant at St. Paul's, near Bergenwood avenue, Fourth District.

Referred to committee on liquor licenses.

Petition of the Pavonia Horse Railroad Company, for permission to lay tracks through West Newark avenue to Tonnele avenue, and through Tonnele avenue to bridge at west end of Bergen tunnel.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Petition of Owen Carroll and others, that permission be granted the Pavonia Horse Railroad Company to extend and lay their tracks through West Newark avenue from Summit to Tonnele avenue, and through Tonnele avenue to the bridge at west end of Bergen tunnel.

Referred to committee on railroads.

Petition of Thomas Atcheson, for permission to construct platform in front of store north side of Newark avenue, opposite Chestnut avenue.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of James Goulding, for transfer of his junk license to Christopher J. Lynch No. 411 Second street.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

Petitions of Thomas G. Wall, Thorp & Wood and John Reardon, for licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to committee on trade licenses.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named, to keep restaurants at the following named places:

First District—Duhey & Sullivan, 107 Newark avenue.

Second District—John Golden, 272 Eleventh street; John Stapleton, 120 Twelfth street; Edward Kaley, corner Hudson avenue and White street; John F. Lynch, 10 Prospect street.

Fourth District—Richard Flynn, corner South street and Summit avenue

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, eight in number.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolution on petition referred to said committee on the 16th inst:

Resolved, That the license heretofore granted to David Farrington to keep a restaurant at 430 Palisade avenue, Fourth District, be transferred to Geo. W. Moore,

The report was received and the resolution adopted,

The committee on railroads, to whom was referred on the 16th inst., the communication from Wm. Startup and A. W. Fry, on behalf of committee on streets and sewers of Board of Public Works, concerning laying of flat rails instead of "T" rails by horse railroad companies in portions of Hoboken avenue and North First street, now under improvement, presented a report thereon setting forth that upon conference with the representatives of the North Hudson County Railway Company and Pavonia Horse Railroad Company, arrangements have been made satisfactory to said Commissioners of Public Works, who desire that no further action should be taken on the premises.

The report was received and accepted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred, on the 16th inst., the petition of James Cummings, asking permission to construct vault under sidewalk, &c., presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted, during the pleasure of this board to James Cummings to construct vault under sidewalk in front of his premises on Newark avenue.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to James Burns and D. O. Mara, on their paying the license fees.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims of Times Printing Company, $314 10 for advertising, and $94 for job printing, were presented and referred to the committee on printing.

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board took a recess of ten minutes for the purpose of auditing claims.

On the reassembling of the Board, the second order of business was resumed.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees on payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John Anglem for $27. for meat for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John M. Park assignee of C. E. Bliss & Co., for $135 10, for groceries for out-door poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John Headden, Jr., for $34 50, for coal for out-door poor,

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of B. J. F. Roberts for $39, for shoes for out-door poor from March 1 to April 23d 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Herman Otersen for $47 45, for groceries for out-door poor, from March 1 to April 23, 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John A. Duncan for $390 10, for groceries for out-door poor

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Edward Hope, Jr., for $40, for coffins for out-door poor,

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of James Young for $56 70, for meat for out-door poor.

By committee on baths and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B Schafer for $20, for rent of room for drum corps for April, 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B Shafer for $145 83 for rent of armory for April, 1872.

By committee on stationery and supplies;

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Uriah Allen for $12 25 for furniture for Overseer of the Poor.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted;

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the following named for payment of salaries for April when due, viz: John E. Scott, city clerk, $333 34; James H. Love, collector, $291 67; K. G. Dudley, overseer of the poor, $83 34, and S. D. Ellis, city marshal, $83 34.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner is hereby requested to cause the immediate abatement of nuisance, caused by stagnant water, on lots 28 and 29, in block 705, fronting on southerly side of Waverly street, between Oakland and Central, formerly Montgomery avenue.

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted on the 16th instant, requesting the Board of Public Works to cause North First street, from Provost to Prospect street, to be repaved, be rescinded.

By Alderman Steenken:

Resolved, That the Board of Police Commissioners are hereby requested to furnish this Board a list of names and places in Jersey City where intoxicating liquors are sold, and for which no license has been granted by the Board of Aldermen, nor application received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Savage, Steenken, and Wandle.

Nays—President Farrier and Aldermen Reardon and Smith.

By Alderman Steenken, and adopted:

Whereas, A nuisance now exists consisting of a ditch through the centre of the block between Hutton and Griffith streets, and between New York and Webster avenues, which ditch is at all times filled with stagnant water and filth with no visible outlet; and,

Whereas, Said ditch is within one hundred feet of sewer in New York avenue, and could by the laying of an eighteen inch drain pipe in Griffith street be drained and kept free and open and thereby prevent a great nuisance, which in its present state is highly detrimental to health; therefore,

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to take such action in the premises as will speedily afford relief and prevent the further existence of the nuisance caused by the ditch referred to.

By Alderman Bumsted, and adopted:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of W. B. Shafer for $20 for rent of room for Drum Corps, for March, 1872

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the street commissioner be requested to compel the owners of property on south side of Pavonia avenue, east of Meadow street, to restore the sidewalk to its proper grade and relay flag, the same being now in a condition dangerous to travel.

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to cause Ninth street, formerly North First street, from Provost to Prospect street, to be repaired, said street being now in an impassable condition.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Reardon, and the same was received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board:

"An ordinance to authorize the Pavonia Horse Railroad Company to lay tracks of iron rails in West Newark avenue, from Summit avenue to Tonnele avenue and through Tonnele avenue to the bridge at the west end of the Bergen tunnel."

On motion of Alderman Reardon, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday, April 30, 1872, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Farrier, and Aldermen Bumsted, Golden, Mandeville, Smith, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Aldermen Edwards and Reardon were absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took their seats.

Absent—Alderman Savage.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 23d inst., were approved without reading, on motion of Alderman Steenken.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Remonstrance of Marcus Beach and others, against the laying of T rail on Hoboken avenue by any railroad company.

Referred to committee on laws and ordinances.

Remonstrance of Chas Bullen and others, against granting permission to Pavonia Horse Railroad Co. to lay tracks on Newark avenue west of the Five Corners,

Referred to committee on railroads.

Petition of John Pringle, Jr., for permission to place a sign across sidewalk in front of premises, twenty feet north of Communipaw avenue, east side of Pacific, formerly Washington avenue.

Referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Peter Semler and others, to have filled the old ditch lying between Webster and New York avenues, from Ferry to Griffith street, (presented to Board of Police Commissioners on the 15th inst., and referred to Board of Public Works, April 23, 1872, referred by said Board to Board of Aldermen.)

Referred to committee on streets with power, on motion of Alderman Smith.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A concurrent resolution adopted on the 23d inst., by the Board of Public Works, that the exepnse of building that portion of the retaining wall at the junction of Mountain road and Ogden road, the cost not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars, be borne by the city at large, and paid by general tax, was presented.

On motion of Alderman Smith, it was

Resolved, That the resolution adopted April 23d, 1872, by the Board of Public Works, that the expense of building that portion of the retaining wall at the junction of Mountain road and Ogden road, which is to be constructed off the line of the Mountain road, the estimated cost not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars, should be done by the city at large, and paid by general tax, be and is hereby concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.

The annual report of R. G. Dudley, overseer of the poor, for year ending April 30, 1872, was presented, received and ordered filed.

The city clerk presented a report of the names of parties elected to office at the charter election, held April 9, 1872, who have failed to quality within the time required by law, viz.;

Constables—Third district, Daniel F. Shea; fourth district, John H. Neibuhr; fifth district, John A. White; sixth district, Francis Henry Saving, Jr.

The report was received, and ordered filed,

(Alderman Reardon appeared and took his seat.)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on laws and ordinances to whom was referred February 16, 1872, the petition of John P. Culver and others, to have the name of Pacific avenue, formerly Washington avenue, changed to Lafayette avenue, presented a report thereon adverse to granting the prayer of the petitioners, for the reason that a majority of the owners of the property on Pacific avenue have not signed the petition, &c.

The report was received and adopted.

Alderman Edwards appeared and took his seat.

The committee on laws and ordinances, to whom was referred, February 16, 1872, the petition of John N. Fiacre and others, that Erie street, south of Newark avenue, and formerly called Barrow street, may be again changed to Barrow street, presented a report thereon setting forth that upon examination the committee find the petition to be signed by the owners of a majority of the lands fronting the street sought to be changed, and recommending that the petition be referred to the committee on laws and ordinances, with instructions to report an ordinance providing for the granting of the prayer of the petitioners.

The report was received and its recommendation adopted.

The committee on liquor licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That a license be granted to James Cavanaugh to keep a restaurant at St. Paul's, near Bergenwood avenue, in the fourth district.

Resolved, That a license be granted to John Brown to keep a restaurant at Yale avenue, between Mallory and Westside avenues, in the sixth district.

The reports were received.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, ten in number.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred, on the 23d inst., the petition of Thomas Atcheson for permission to construct platform in front of store north side of Newark avenue, opposite Chestnut avenue, presented a favorable report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to Thomas Atcheson to construct a platform, four feet wide, in front of his store or building, on north side of Newark avenue, nearly opposite Chestnut avenue.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on trade licenses reported the following resolutions, on applications heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Thorpe & Wood, Thomas G. Wall and John Reardon, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That the license heretofore granted to James Goulding, to keep a junk shop at 31 Brunswick street, be transferred to Christopher J. Lynch, at 411 Second street.

The reports were received and the resolutions adopted.

On motion of Alderman Wandle, the board took a recess for ten minutes, for the purpose of auditing claims.

On the reassembling of the board the second order of business was resumed.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees on payment of claims presented at this meeting.

By committee on alms:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Charles Black for $114 08, for bread for outdoor poor.

By committee on baths and armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of A. W. Van Winkle for $6 50, for one ton of coal for city armory.

By committee on printing:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John H. Lyon for $27 30, for advertising.

By committee on stationery and supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of George Wood for $36, for coal for City Hall.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of H. W. Billington & Bro. for $28, for soft soap at City Hall from April 22, 1871, to April 27, 1872.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. W. Harrison for $87 80, for stationery and supplies.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Potter & Schermerhorn for $25, for repairing flag, supplies, &c.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Samuel D. Ellis for $2 85, to refund moneys expended in car fare and ferriage.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of C. W. Corduan for $2 60, for repairing locks.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Reardon, and adopted:

Resolved, That the corporation attorney be requested to present to the Board of Aldermen his opinion in writing as to the right of control the city may possess in West Newark avenue, and what validity now exists in reservation of deed ceding said avenue or turnpike to the Mayor and Common

Council of the former city of Hudson, and dated May 1, 1868.

By Alderman Edwards, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to cause all street lamps to be cleaned and kept clean, and that they compel particular attention to the turning of lamps in cleaning, so that the signs bearing street names, and fixed to lamps, may properly designate the street for which the same may be intended.

By Alderman Smith, and adopted:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it will adjourn to meet at the aldermanic chamber on Saturday, May 4, 1872, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of approving the minutes only.

By Alderman Reardon, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board are due and are hereby presented to George H. Farrier for the faithful, courteous and impartial manner in which he has performed the duties of President during the past municipal year.

The President then addressed the Board as follows:

Gentlemen of the Board of Aldermen:

I thank you for the flattering compliments embodied in your resolutions. If my endeavor to perform my duties fairly and impartially has merited your commendation, I shall retire with that gratification success always brings. I thank you for the uniform kindness and courtesy you have shown me in all our associations. I thank you for your assistance in making our meetings quiet and orderly, and by prompt and careful attention never unnecessarily long. The board being composed of practical men, actuated only by the clearly defined purpose of fulfilling the duties imposed on them, has made the task of presiding over its deliberations a very easy one.

I congratulate you on retiring with so fair a record. The greater number remain, and with their experience and matured judgments we have the promise of a wise and capable board to succeed us; the rest of us retire to private life, with the consciousness of having performed our parts honestly and to the best of our "skill, understanding, and ability."

The labors required of the Board of Aldermen under our present form of municipal government are not onerous, but they still bring with them no little care and responsibility. Whether that form is or is not the best time and experience will determine; if it is good, the good judgment of the people will continue it; if it falls short of what is required, it will be but short lived. Names are nothing. Whether the control of our city affairs is given to a Board of Aldermen or to a Board of Public Works is of but little consequence if the power is wielded honestly and for the best interests of the people. Laws fairly made and enforced, the public money carefully and judiciously expended, public improvements inaugurated and economically carried on, with a view to the public good, and not for individual or party aggrandizement and profit--proper checks to guard against dishonesty--and a desire on the part of every official to transact the public business as they would their own, ignoring as far as possible partisan spirit in municipal affairs. These are what the people need and have a right to expect and exact from their servants. And now, gentlemen, again thanking you for your kindness and consideration, and assuring you of my good wishes for your future welfare, I must say,

> The saddest yet of all sad words,
> The hardest word for tongue to tell;
> It vibrates long on memory's chords,
> That little word, farewell! farewell!

By Alderman Bumsted, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the City Clerk, John E. Scott, is entitled to and hereby receives our sincere thanks for the able and faithful manner in which he has discharged his important duties during the past municipal year, and for his uniform kindness and courtesy, with which he has always treated the members of this Board.

By Alderman Smith, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board are hereby tendered to Samuel D. Ellis for the faithful manner in which he has discharged his duties as city marshal during the past year.

On motion of Alderman Edwards, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Adjourned regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, Saturday, May 4, 1872, at eight o'clock P. M., for the purpose of approving the minutes only.

Present—President Farrier and Aldermen Savage and Smith.

Absent—Aldermen Bumsted, Edwards, Holden, Mandeville, Reardon, Steenken, Stier and Wandle.

Less than a quorum being present, the President declared the board adjourned sine die.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

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